sat up 40."

Tooke used to say that "Porson

ant came into the room, sent thither

Porson.—London's T. P.'s Weekly.

THE TROUBLE WITH "FRITZIE"

Dog Was What Might Be Called an

It was a very little girl in an abbre

viated scrap of gingham that origin-

ally must have been a pink frock. It showed neutrality of color that be spoke many washings and the probability of former owners. Graspet tightly in her grimy hand was a piece

of twine, the far end of which was attached to the collar of a dog.

bantered the youth fresh from prepar

"Well, well, he was meant to be

dachshund, wasn't he?"

Seriously the brown eyes gazed into

recognized that it was the right name

for her elongated friend.
"You mean he's funny in the

hal's detect with his hands,

Oh, I know what you moan, cried
the youngster, gleefully. Fritzig
chages all the cats, and when they

stop and spit at him he jest humps up like they do—and now I guess he's

Names of Flowers.

growed that way."

to perfume their hands

black recesses of the vault.

Ethergram.

Language grows apace with the strong of applied science. Con-ider for a moment how many words

in the ordinary work-a-day vocabu-lary were unknown a quarter of a century ago and are the natural prod-

act of discovery and invention. With

sion of intelligence there obviously

came need of a word designating a message conveyed by the new method.

"Ethergram" has been suggested and in fact, is being used in Great Britain.
If not, why not?

A solored preacher at Easton Pa.

was asked by one of his church mem

for to preach a sermon on hell and

sylvania and put the devil on med not it on fire, he would freeze

"That breed always is funny in

"Hello, baby; is that your dog?"

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To the owner or owners of any and all interest in the land herein describ-

ed, and to the mortgagee or mortgageer named in all undischarged recorded

named in all undischarged recorded mortgages against said land or any assiguee thereof of record:

Take Notice that sale has been lawfully made of the following described land for unpaid taxes thereon, and that the undersigned has title thereto under tax deed issued therefore, and that you are entitled to a reconveyance thereof at any time within all worth.

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tute proceedings for possession of the

State of Michigan, County of Craw

Grayling, Mich., Aug. 15, 1908.

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or the whereabouts of postoffice address of the executor, administrator or trustee or guardian of said Milo Osterhout.

CHAS. W. AMIDON,

Sheriff of Crawford County,

Mortgage Sale.

tice the sum of one hundred and ter

punade and provided the said mort-gage will be foreclosed by a sale of the premises therein described at pub-

lic auction to the highest bidder, at the front door of the Court House in

the viviage of Grayling, Crawford nunty, Michigan, that being the place holding the Circuit Court for said nunty, on Salurday, October 31, 1988,

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OF CRAWFORD COUNTY.

SUPERVISORS.

Crawford County Directory

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Default having been made in the condition of a certain mortgage made and executed on the seventh day of March A. D. 1907 by Pheby L. Johnson of the village of Grayling, Crawford county, Michigan, to Jens Michelson of the same place, which mortgage was recorded in the office of the Register of Deeds for Crawford county Mich., on the seventh day of March A. D. 1907, at ten o'clock a. m. and recorded in Liber H of mortgages, on page 27, on which mortgage there is due and unpaid at the date of this notice the sum of one hundred and ten Meets last Thursday of each month.
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Pathos and Tragedy in the Leaves of the Old Album. Eminent Englishman One of the Most

Bibulous of Men. The great Porson, librarian On every page of an old album written heartache, downfall, disliu-sion, loneliness. Here is the picture Greek scholar, would sit up drinking all night without seeming to feel any had effects from it. Home Tooke told of the boy whose every waking hour outside of school was partly yours. Samuel Rugers that he onco usked Porson to dine with him in Richmond So genial a fellow he was, so ambitious, so brilliant. You saw him last buildings, and, as he knew that Porson had not been in bed for the three year, and hardly recognized the shab-by wreck that drink had made, hardly were able to eke out half an hour's conversation with him. Here is the college chum with the fine preceding nights, he expected to get id of him at a tolerably early hour, Porson, however, kept Tooke up the whole night, and in the morning the latter, in perfect despair, said: "Mr. head who was to do great things in life. Consumption. The blossom blighted ere the fruit was set. This Porson. I am engaged to meet & friend at breakfast at a coffee house in Leicester square." "Oh," replied Porson, "I will go with you," and he accordingly did so. Soon after they other classmate with the face Keats—the merest hair's breadth of misdirection in a furrow of his brain, first manifested in a comic oddity. had reached the coffee house Tooks contrived to slip out, and, running home, ordered his servant not to let After the flesh, our friend still lives only his mind is dead. Mr. Porson ip, even if he should at-tempt to batter down the door. "A man," observed Tooke, "who could sit up four nights successively might have

only his mind is dead.

And here is one whose every lineament shows forth engaging frankness and the joy of life—worse than
dead. Embezzier, guiliy fugitive with
a neighbor's wife. His broken-hearted old father, his wife, his children—
all of us who frusted him, how much
rather would we have followed him. would drink ink rather than not drink at all." Indeed, he would drink asy-thing. He was sitting with a gentlerather would we have followed him to his grave than have this come upon And then the long list of those man after dinner in the chambers of a mutual friend, a Templar, who was then ill and confined to bed. A servwith whom our lives were interwined for whom we hoped, believed, expect ed—mero insipidities, trifles, failures half-successes, living along somehow. by his master, for a bottle of embrocation, which was on the chimney-piece. "I drank it an hour ago," said And we ourselves. What we meant then to be; and what we are!—Eu-gene Wood.

> HICKORY TREE IS A MONUMENT. President Jackson.

In the Baptist graveyard at Can ton, Pa., near Salem, lies the body of an old revolutionary soldier named James Sayres. A rude, unlettered sandstone marks his grave, but a more conspicuous monument is a large hick ory tree the trunk of which, three the ground, measures 51%

inches in circumference. James Sayres was an ardent admirer of Andrew Jackson, so often "Old Hickory" from the char acter of being so unbending in any cause which he believed to be right Mr. Sayres always wore a sprig of hickory on his breast on "training days," and before he died directed those of her questioner. Her quick sense had caught the long word and that a hickory tree be planted on his grave. This was done, and after the tree attained proportions deemed unsultable to adorn a grave it was dug Another tree sprang from the roots left in, and this in time was also

the middle," laughed the boy, but this one is curved up like a half cir-cle, and he tried to illustrate the anidug up. When a third tree appeared, with a persistency in a good cause worthy of emulation, relatives of the deceased directed that it be not disturbed. Hence the tree of large proportions that annually showers its the grave of the deceased admirer of 'Old Hickory."

The Essence of Government. Man, born in a family, is compelled It is interesting to know how cer-tain flowers get their names. Many to maintain society, from necessity from natural inclination and from habit. The same creature, in his far were named after individuals: For instance: Fuchsias were so called bether progress, is engaged to estab-lish political society in order to adcause they were discovered by Leon minister justice, without which there Andre Dahl, who brought them from Peru. The camella was so called for can be no peace among them, nor Peru. The camella was so called for a missionary named Kamel, who safety nor mutual intercourse. We are, therefore, to look upon all the vast apparatus of our government as brought some magnificent specimens having ultimately no other object of purpose but the distribution of justice. of the flower to France from Japan: He called it the rose of Japan, but purpose but the distribution of justice his friends changed it to camelia or, in other words, the support of the Magnolias were named in honor of 12 judges. Kings and parliaments. and revenue, ambassadors, ministers brought the beautiful tree to France from America and Asia. Because they trembled with the wind is the meaning of anemones. The Latin word towash is layare, and layender received and privy counsellors are all subor-dinate to this part of administration -Humo's Essay on "The Origin of Government."

its name because the Romans put the flowers into water when they washed A Nomadic Piece of Land. Cape Cod itself is sand, and like everything of a desert nature is no Thrilling Moment in Popular Fiction.
The homh went off with a dull and dedfening roar, and Second-Story Bill, the Plous Burglar, gazed into the madic. Like the Arab, it is always sliently stealing away, so that the appearance of the peninsula constantly changes. The prevailing winds in the winter being from the north, the sand is blown south; in summer it is blown tother way, but the winter "At last!" he muttered, hoarsely, "my prayers are answered. Fortune is winds being stronger, the land is gradually working south. Monomory He went in, but in a moment he merged, his face white with the rage at the lower end used to be an island at the lower end used to use my solution its extremity being called Cope Mala-bar a name not used now. Why, I of disappointment.

Its extremity needs now. Why, I bar, a name not used now. Why, I cannot say. This island of Monomoy "The receivers have been here before cannot say. This island of Monomoy me." But he was wrong. The vault is rapidly growing toward Nantucket, had contained the firm's collateral for speculators' loans, and the recent fall the last 50 years.—Outing Magazine. in the market had completely wiped out the margins.—Success Magazine.

The Child the Hope of the Race. There is nothing in the world a important as children, nothing so in-teresting. If you good wish to go in for some philanthropy, if you over wish to be of any real use in the world, do something for children. If you ever yearn to be truly wise, study children. We can dress the sore, bandage the wounded, imprison the criminal, heal the sick and bury dead; but there is always a chance that we can save a child. If the great army of philanthropists ever exterminate sin and pestilence, ever work cut our race's salvation, it will be because a little child has led them.

"Aftermath"

Mirrorath" is a persistently illused word. Early July is the time of the 'math;' that is, the first mowing of the nicadow. The short grass-with a sufficiency of rain-will grow matter very thoroughly he closed his permon with these remarks: "Brethren, if you take all the wood again, and later will come the "second to Punseylvania and pile it in one piece and on that pile all the coal in the storm and its aftermath" seems a favorite with some story writers. The phrase his seat a favorite with some story writers, but it is difficult to understand how a storm can have a second mowing!

NOTH THINKER AND DRINKER. [HEARTACHES ON EVERY PAGE. | GREEN SPOTS IN WILDERNESS.

waste of sand and salt may be found. by looking for them, a number of oases, the most conspicuous of which are Pica and Matilla. These cases are supplied with water from the high Andes, but the particular streams that support their life are not certain-face layer of sand or ealt is sufficiently moist to grow crops, capillary at traction sproading the water through the soil. The rainless Atacama desert is the scene of the speatest indus-try of its kind in the world, yielding enormous quantities of nitrates, used to sprich the fields of Europe and the United States. The pases play a very important economic role in the indus-tries of the region, supplying ves-etables and foodstuffs for the support of the workmen, alfalfa for the cattle, and various fruits, and also serving as timber producers for the nitrate works, which require much fuel. There is no part of the world where agriculture is more extensively carried on than in these green spots in the Atacama desert.—Zion's Herald.

LITTLE TRAFFIC ON THE NILE. Not Much Use Made of Water Trans

portation in Egypt, It is a curious fact that the Nile and most of the canals in Egypt run north and south. The wind blows nearly all the year from the north, and thus furnishes the cheapest propelling power for boats going south. When the boats return north the rapid current of the Nile is the motive power. The regu-larity of the wind and the steadiness of the current are two reasons why boats propelled by any other power are so little used. Time is not so important an element in business in Egypt as in some other countries, and one might think, in view of the bilitles offered by the Nile and the many canals throughout the Delta. The Nile is navigable for many hundred miles. The first cataract is at Assouan, but there is no interruption of traffic until Wadi Halfa is reached, 800 miles from Cairo. The primary object of the cauals is to distribute water for irrigation, but they are real broad and deep water courses, eastly navigable by sailing boats and small steam tugs. With Egypt's awakening the value of these canals will soon be realized.

No Need to Come to Court. "There was a lawyer in Cincinnati who was noted for the strength of his lungs and the vehemence with which he would roar out his remarks to the court," said a jusist. "He had a case down for argument one morning, but was unable to be present. A clerk appeared and asked the judge to put over the case until two o'clock that afternoon. Where will Mr. be tust before two o'clock?" queried the judge. 'In his office, your honor,' replied the clerk. "And that is how far from here?" continued the judge. 'About three-quarters of a mile,' said the clerk. 'Tell Mr. coming way up here to court, said the judge. 'Let him make his argument right from his office. We can hear him just as well as though he were

Husband and Wife No man yet was ever made mare tender by having tenderness de-manded of him; no man yet was ever cried into loving his wife more. am willing to admit that men are as faulty creatures as women themselves, unsympathetic in small things, often blind and that they may easily be exasperated into small brutalities of speech. If a woman refrains from acting devotion and is unswervingly kind and unselfish, a husband who has any affection for his wife at all can be left to look out for doing his share. He will look out for it anyway; no one else can make him. Neither tears nor entreaties will wring from him those small kindnesses and attentions so dear to women .- A Wife, in Har per's Bazar.

An Alibi. "White attending court in New Hampshire on one occasion," says a prominent member of the Boston har I was greatly amused by the evidence of a woman who was striving to prove an alibi for a boy in a horse-stealing

"A witness testified that he had see the boy at the village on that day; whereupon the woman sprang from

her chair and exclaimed:

"He wa'n't out, neither! His pants
was a haugin' on the clothes line all day."-Illustrated Sunday Magazine,

A Dependable Boy. "Oh yes, I'm bringing my boy up in the way he should go,"

to be in a street car together and a lady that I know comes in I've trained Johnny to get right up and give her

that you know."

"For instance?"

Why, when Johnny and I happen obe in a street car together and a add day. Said precises being described as follows, to wit: The southwest one quarter of the northeast one quarter of the northeast one quarter of section thirty-two, in two twenty-is sout."

"And supposing there are two ladies hat you know."

"Say, I'm talking about Johnny."—

Brysland Plain Dealer. Cleveland Plain Dunier

Relieve the Desciation of Desert of Northern Chile. Northern Chile, which is so largely mountain or desert, is generally regarded as a forbidden wildorness, but in spite of its natural desolation the landscape presents a scene of great beauty under the softening hues of

29th Annual Reunion ---of the---

to does not matter, therefore, that boats propelled by wind or current are slow. But not so much use is made of water transportation in Egypt as

The town is yours, come and enjoy the three days with the boys in blue.

PROGRAM,

FIRST DAY.

Will be devoted to enrollment and payment of dues. Camp fire at Opera House in the evening. See small programs for entertainment. Everybody will be expected to be in their trundle bed when the lights go out.

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6:30 Reveille.

7:00 Breakfast.

10:00 Parade, led by band.

12:00 Dinner.

AFTERNOON.

2:00 Address by Hon. W. N. Moore, of West Branch.

3:00 Base Ball Game.

6:00 Supper.

8:30 Play at Opera House,

THIRD DAY.

7:00 Breaktast.

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iness meeting and election of officers, the balance of the day will be devoted to visiting and farewells by memand their friends;

times the sum of one hundred and ten and 0.5-100 dollars (\$110.05) principal and interest and an attorney fee of ten dollars, as provided for in said mortgage, and no sult or proceedings at law or in equity having been instituted to recover the debt secured by said mortgage or any part thereof.

Now therefore Notice is hereby given that by virtue of the power of sale contained in said mortgage, and in pursuance of the statutes in such case. 10:00 Business meeting and election of officers, the balance of the

PLENTY OF MUSIC.

LIFE ITSELF THE HIGHEST ART.

By Ada May Kracker.

Only in rare and luminous minds seems to

arise the idea of applying to character and career the laws of beauty as they are applied in the fine arts; of molding life as an art object, with faithful adherence to the principles of symmetry and proportion; of fulfilling the noble precepts of Stobeus that "all the paris of human life. In the same manner as those of a statue, ought to be beautiful." Hierocles. the Greek, reasoned that the body was the temple of the soul, then subordinate thereto, and the soul was the shrine of the spirit, hence its inferiority. It was meet. therefore, that the spirit be accorded first honors and noblest service and culture, that the lesser powers of the and receive next rank, and the hody, the humblest of all man's instruments, be given the lowest place, occupy the least thought. For, as another old Greek averred, the virtues of the cattle are in the strength of body, but the virtues of men are in nobility of intellect. In the view of yet another follower of the immortal Pythagoras, the deformities of the body may be tempered and healed by the proper culture of the soul.

was the reckless abandon to the beauties of the ma terial man and the material world and the oblivion to the things of the spirit that stamped as inadequate the ideals of the brilliant English essayist, novelist and playwright whose nature was instinct with beauty prompted his noble apostleship of all that fostered the sense of the beautiful in his world. He held that life was the supreme art, and that a handsome career was worth a thousand handsome books.

MAN SEEKS THE SUPERFLUOUS.

By Prot. A. De Quatrefages

The intelligence and aptitudes of man have manifested themselves in a thousand ways which may be included under the general name of industries. Pacific or warlike, relating to the individual or to the whole population, they often differ in different races iu different peoples, sometimes almost in different tribes. The greater number conse quently may be considered as so many char acters by which the different groups of the human species may be distinguished.

w, the animals have only physical wants, which they satisfy as completely as possible. But, the end once attained, they go no further. The animal, when left to itself, does not know or has scarcely a suspicion of the superfluous. His wants, therefore, are always the same

Mon is alway seeking the superfluous, and often at the expense of utility, sometimes to the detriment of the necessary. The result is that his wants increase from day to day. The luxury of the evening becomes the indispensable of the morrow. Moralists at all times have blamed this tendency and condemned those insatiable appetites which are always asking for what they do not

possess. I cannot share this view. When men are once fully satisfied and have no more wants progress, will come to a standeill. The want of the superfluous has developed our industries, has engendered the arts and sciences.

Another way in which man distinguishes bluself is in his self-respect. This is common even among savages, although they rarely are given credit for them. Modesty shows itself in customs and practices widely opposed to our own. This has given rise to many misconceptions. It is the same in matters of politeness. We rise and uncover the head before a stranger or a superior; in a similar case the Turk remains covered and the Polynesian sits down. Though differing so entirely in form, are they not inspired by the same sentiments? It is the same also with the sense of honor. The history of savage nations abounds with traits of warlike heroism, and nothing is more common than to see savages prefer torture and death to shame. That which we call chivalrous generosity is by no means wanting in savages.

HOW CIVILIZATION MAKES BARBARIANS.

By Gustave Le Bon By the mere fact that he forms part of a

crowd, a man descends several rungs in the

of civilization. Isolated, he may be a cultivated individual: in a crowd he is a barbarian—that is, a creature acting by in stinct. He possesses the spontaneity, the violence, the fercelty and also the enthusiasm and heroism of primitive beings, whom he further tends to resemble by the facility with which he allows himself to be impressed by words and images which would be entirely without action on each of the isolated individuals composing the crowd—and to be induced to commit acts contrary to his most obvious interests and his best known habits. An individual in a crowd is a grain of sand amid other grains of sand which the wind stirs up at will. However personal and original he may be, or mean to be, he takes his color and characteristics from his surroundings.

The most striking peculiarity presented by a psycho logical crowd is the following: Whoever be the individuals that compose it, however like or unlike be their mode of life, their occupation, their character or their intelligence, the fact that they have been transformed into a crowd puts them in possession of a sort of collective mind which makes them feel, think and act in a manner quite different from that in which each individual of would feel, think and act were he in a state of isolation. There are certain ideas and feelings which do not come into being or do not transform themselves into acts except in the case of individuals forming a crowd: The psychological crowd is a provisional being formed of heterogeneous elements which for a moment are combined exactly as the cells which constitute a living body form by their reunion a new being which displays chare teristics different from those possessed by each of the cells singly.

LIFE'S MIRROR.

There are loyal hearts, there are spirits

There are souls that are pure and true Then give to the world the best you have And the best will come back to you. Give love, and love to your life will flow

A strength in your utmost need; Have faith, and a score of hearts wi Their faith in your word and deed.

Give truth, and your gifts will be paid i

kind,
And bonor will bonor meet;
And a smile that is sweet will surely fine A smile that is just as sweet.

Give pity and sorrow to those

You will gather, in flowers again, The scattered seed from your that thought

Though the sowing seemed but vain.

For life is the mirror of king and slave "Tis just what we are and do, Then give to the world the best you have
And the best will come back to you.

Madeline S. Bridges.



He saw the graceful figure, in its be coming blue habit, the flecked sunligh upon her shining hair, ahead of him and reined up his horse. She looked over her shoulder and seeing him, gave

"As if I would intrude upon her! heartless coquette—a woman withou womanly principles!" he said bitterly drawing his horse down to a slow

She disappeared around the bend in the road in a whirl of reddish dust Guy Mortimer's thoughts, as they fol lowed her, were not pleasant. Only last summer he had been the accepted lover of the prettlest girl in all the Blue Ridge region of Virginia, to find him self one day suddenly supplanted by a wealthier rival. He wondered why she had come back to such a quiet little out of the way place as Vinto, and why sho had not married. The horse slowly made its way along the shady road and turned the bend. As he did so the man gave such a start as caused them to draw up abruptly beside the dismounted rider standing in the middle of the

"Have you been thrown Mab-Miss Andraws?" he asked, springing out of the buggy.

ie moved toward him, the sunligh resting upon her red gold hair, her eyes on the ground. "My horse—the saddle -something was loose," she murmured incoherently, "and when I got down to see if I could fix it-why-the horse ran off. I hope he will go home! Do you think he will?

"I should not worry about him nor myself," he said slowly. "I am going gaiog cas I" or way and will take you as far as the plantation in my buggy. It will be con vable at all," he continued, in an family were gathering about a young great to her question of protest. "I ster who stood holding the truest home you are staying at the plants

healtated an instant, the red

to be helped into the seat beside him and looked straight ahead.

"I am putting you to a lot of bother," she murmured at length. "It is too bad the horse left me. I could walkhesitatingly. "Oh, I hope nothing will

happen to the horse."
"He will go home of course. I am surprised at his running away from you; the plantation horses are generally more than gentle—they are poky," he replied.

There was a pause. "Do you think it will rain?" she asked.

Guy looked at her and then looked ahead again. "Fair in the lake region. sunshiny on the Gulf coast, and an area of depression over the corn belt." "You are just as mean as you can

be! I'm so very sorry to subject you to all this annoyance

"No excuse percessary-one can en dure anything for a while. I did not intend coming here this summer, only supposed you had gone far to other fields, and this little country flace was

"Thank you!" coolly.

"I had no idea you would bury your-self here again when you could enjoy the fashionable world under Mrs. Wads worth's chaperonage."

"I really don't know how I withstoor the temptation," she retorted. "since me once." The eyes that looked into his from under the visor of the jaunty cap were full of laughter, and in an instant his control of himself was gone.

"I see you still find me amusing!" he thinking of you that way, but it was a true love on my part, even if it was but this proved to be a forgery. laughable to you. We two have come to the parting of the ways. I shall leave you at the plantation, and drive on to the station; so I will not intrude upon you again." He flicked his whip and

the horse broke into a brisk trot There was a light in the girl's eve leaned over and took the lines from his hand. "Since this is to be our last drive," demurely, "there is no peed of hurrying. It will be over soon enough. He turned and looked at her, his face white with emotion and his throat throbbing flercely. "What new schem Is it only to play with me longer-make life harder to live with

There was a little tremor in her voice. "Listen," she said. "When yo told me what I was to you, you told me in the next breath how fealous you were of Johnnie Wadsworth, of all persons on earth. Why, he could never be anything more to me than a friend, and besides he is to marry cousin Laura His mother is good to me. She and my mother were achonimates, and since mother's death she has tried to take her piace as far as she was ablotried to explain to you, but you would not listen to reason. Too left me with out a word. I have not seen you for a whole year; and if that horse had not deserted me in the lonely woods----But Guy Mortimer had listened in

namive silence long enough. As they drew up to the picket gate an hour later, there seemed to be a commotion in the yard. The whole

"I tell you I saw it myself," he was mying. "It alu't no lie. I was a-comm' the nigh way through the woods, suiting to her face at his tone when Miss Mabel got off the house and

and coolness; but she allowed herself hit him a cut with the whip, and Dolly you. Miss Mabel?" he added, as the iggy scattered the group.

Mabel's face was very red, but be lore she could frame a denial, Guy sprang down and slapped the youngster on the back. "Of course she did, Jack." he said gleefully, "because I was be hind to pick her up. Here, son, there is a circus coming next week," and he slipped a dollar into his hand.

The youngster looked after the laughing crowd as they trooped back into the house, and at the money in his hand; then he rubbed his head. "She looked mighty shamed faced, and never said nothing: but who," reflectively. "can Magazine.

She Worked the Snake Cure.

Novel crimes are occasionally com nitted in Paris, as, for instance: An old gypsy woman called on a doctor living in the Place Pierriere and asked him to visit her daughter, who was lying ill in a caravan on the fortifications near by, "I have tried the ser-pent cure," she said, "but there was no result. If you will allow me to nay your fee in advance I shall be sure you will come."

The doctor consented, and the old women handed him a \$100 note. As Johnny Wadaworth is such a nice fel- he was getting the change out of the low. He would take me any distance safe she again mentioned the "serpent in his buggy or auto—and never snub cure" and he asked her what it was "This," she said, and, taking a box from under her rags, she turned half a dozen snakes out on the floor.

The doctor was startled and rushed out of the room. When he returned exclaimed bitterly, "you laughed at me with a stick he found that the woman then; and you laugh at me now; you and the snakes had vanished, while all gave me the discipline I deserved for the money in his safe had also gone. He still held the \$100 note in his hand,

A Victim of Leprosy.

"On my travels in Venezuela," said a New York man, "I stayed in a hotel with a young man in whose family there was the taint of leprosy, though he apparently did not have it. One that had not been there before, as she night sitting at dinner he became angry at a waiter and brought his hand own on the table with full force. He instantly realized that he did not feel the blow and sat looking at his hand, his face whitening with horror. ne your knife, Bob,' he said to his chum. He grabbed the pocketknife in a frenzy and stabbed the side of his hand with vicious cuts from finger tipe to wrist. You may not know that leprosy appears in the side of the hand, numbress being a sign. The man did not feel the cuts. He arose from the table, knocking over his chair, rushed out into the courtyard of the hotel, and we heard the quick tang of a revolver had conquered shot, telling us how he the lener's curse by ending his life."

The Brainy Bunch.

Mr. Sinic-Do you see those three people walking together down there? Mrs. Getup—Yes; who are they? Mr. Sink—One is a somnambulist, ne is a kleptomaniac and one is a

plagiarist. Mrs. Getup-law makes! I never dreamed we were going to meet so many brainy people in a bunch,-Kansee City Newsbook.

Couldn't Risk It.

First Sportswoman (after jumping a stile)—Come along. Do have a try ! Man-Oh, it's all very well for you to risk your nack. but I'm going to be married next week!

make up each day's passing record--the word we utter, the flash of an ger, the burst of petulance, the whis per of wrong, the bitter taunt, the petty gratification—acts triffing and transien in themselves but expressive of character to the casual observer. How impor tant, then, to be on our guard lest such things acquire the mastery over They must not be despised, for they may lend to traits and tendencies that may overwhelm our lives, leaving

streams and happy homes. The sage who knew the stars better than the roads of his native town, the sopher so intent on the secrets of the skies that he fell into a ditch by the wayside-are not these but in stances when in the vain grasp after the illimitable and vague we desp small things that are real and near? So we narrow too generally our conception of religion to the atmosphere of church or synagogue, to swelling music, to stately ceremonial, the solemn litanies and holy vestments. But even the may fail in their purpose if we realise not the sacredness of small things which we ignore or despise—the deed that uplifts although it is unheralded;

your brother firmly on his feet without public applause. The small things, then, which are namedly vital and decisive for success of failure are not in the far heavens across the distant sens. They are close to us, so close that they are indispen sable for our growth, our discipline our perfect development. Hence, they

FELLOWSHIP, GREATER GOOD.

bath chosen that better part which shall not be taken away from her."-

pitable activity of the other. But the Good Teacher was not con demning the hospitality of Martha: he was commending the larger, deeper hos pitality of Mary. To him, as to us all, there is but one thing that is absolute necessary. That is not food and deinties: it is not furniture and luxurles it is the open heart of friend ship. There was greater refreshing in the friendship of the one who sat at his feet than in all the food that the tables might bear.

Do we not all need often to hear his saying-we who are careful and cumbered about many things, about food and tables, about clothes and houses that we are likely to miss that good and imperishable treasure of friends and human fellowship? And when we would entertain our friends might we not well think less of the things we would set before them than of the riches of personality, our own selves, we can give them?

The great need of every life, that for which our hearts are hungry, is not food and drink, It is not even books or thinking, is not silver or gold-it is inst folks, people, to know one another, o read open hearts, to taste the fruits of friendship. The one thing needful. that which gives happiness, peace, and prosperity, is just this openness of leart, this thoughtfulness of other that wins and makes friends.

The hospitable home is the one where people have time to know you, where there is always a place by the hearthpide and an enr to listen, where the love light glows from face to face. We soon forget what we have had or eaten in the homes we have visited; but we never loss what our friends have given us of thermelves.

The house that has the great tre ure may be one where there is no plate to be stolen, but where bearts are rich

each habite of soul communion. The vigor as he looks along the road to the ome where love watts, where eyes will look deep into his; the woman known not the toll and drudgery of the day's work for the thought of the fellow ship with those she loves.

Many are making Martha's mistake missing the riches of friendships in the machinery and ministrations of hospitalliy: we are so anxious to entertain our friends that we drive them away; we are so anxious to feed them that we starve their hearts. Whatever else copile want this they want most of all and first of all, just to know people just to have the open way into our real liven.

No matter how much work a mar may do be will do nothing worthy if he is too busy to make friends. The value of our investment in the world depends largely on the manner in which our own self is drawn out and enriched through the touch of other lives. No man can be great by himself alone; all greatness is a gathering in to our elves of other beings.

He who chooses to find friends has that better part. The share of our our modern living is that we are so busy here and there doing many things, most of them perhaps good things in themselves but bad when they stand before the better and higher things; we are so full of business that we miss life's real blessings.

He who chooses friendship chooses that which he can never lose. No man can take from you the memory of you friend; none can rob you of the enrich ing of mind, the enlarging of heart and sympathy that came as you lay with him by the camp fire under the far off stars or sat by the hearthside in the home. Friends become inseparable soul possessions.

So If you would show true hospitality to any, let your first concern be that his heart is fed. He who comes to your home wants you more than be wants your bread and butter, your dainties and guest delicacles. There is a feast wherever friendship freely ws; there is emptiness and h no matter how the board may be lader where hearts are closed to one another

SHORT METER SERMONS. Hidden sins grow fastest. Condemnation cures nothing.

Revenge never is so sweet as when regone

The critical eye remains longest in No man is undone as long as he ha

work to do. You cannot bless men until you be

lieve in them. He is lost airendy to whom sacrific sprears as folly.

The doors to heaven are often in earth's lowliest places.

Spiritually the most helpless see who refuse to help.

Our neighbors are not lifted up by looking up their records life harriers that regist all force

crimble before friendship. Keep the heart healthy and happies will take care of itself.

Men are to be known by their rather than by their origins. Read what people who know from

experience say about incubators. The wearlest man in this world is the one who is running from work. Sometimes fleeing from the devil is only a pretext for fleeing from duty. The man who has grit in his makeup will not throw it in his neighbor's face.

The enemy soon would be on the run if saints were not so strong on the rest.

Morality because it pays to be moral is simply the immorality of civilized

Every time you beat your neighbor you may be sure your adversary has beaten you.

The pessimist is the man who ala nin on it.

heaven about him. It is a good deal easier to know the

lives of all the saints than it is to show the life of one.

There's a lot of difference between taking faith as a shield in battle and as a cloak in business.

Every one knows the color of the ser mon that comes when a blue preacher takes up a yellow subject.

When you try to magnify the dietionary in your prayers you may be sure you do not reach the divine. The finest jubricant for the machinery of our human living is the recogni tion of virtues and values in other

people. If an honest man is the noblest work of God, it is easy to understand how some have lost their faith in the existence of the Creator.

DONT'S FOR CHURCHMEN. Don't try to define beyond your ex-

perlence. Don't attempt perfection without pruning your faults. Don't shut out the light if you would

Don't appeal to prejudice if you would become a real leader. Don't paint people with deprayity

find the parrow path.

if you would produce desire for purity. Don't underestimate the importance of little things in your effort to attain true goodness. Don't expect an hour at church to

counteract all the influences of six days of active business life. Don't attempt to gain spiritus wealth without willingness to experi-

ence material poverty if necessary, Don't avoid the hard places on the oad to heaven if you would have strength to ascend its final heights.

Putting up telegraph wires on note costs \$150 a mile. Laying the camunderground will cost more than tes times that sum-about \$1,000 a



Charcoal is appreciated by the flock. Provide it for them.

not bloat on it as sheep do.

A dairy cow shut up in a dark stable and fed on highly concentrated food

low is in the majority is the commu nity which is marked by contentmen and prosperity.

imes a day, and nothing else. No more does a hog want corn month in nd month out without change

The feeding out of the odds and ends of fooder before the cold and wet fall weather ruins it is important and neans the saving of a snug sum ever; Year.

Feed the cow all the hay or other roughness she will eat, even if she is running on good pasture. Her appetite tells her better what also needs than

much faster than the home supply is Some genius of figures estimates that

the corn crop of Missouri for 1907 would fill 8,000,000 farm wagons,

racks and feed boxes or troughs flock may live if fed on ground, but nothing less than keen hunger will prompt so delicate an animal to take its feed from the wet and filth of a yard.

ished about ten years ago by William Watkins, a famous English entomologist, at Eastbourne, England. There and other countries. The object of these farms is to rear silk worms. The Hojstein breeders in their re-

cent national meeting appointed a committee to secure a federal law for the inspection of cattle for tubercu losis and to do away with inspection by the states. There is no question that such a law would prove advantageous.

ver and above that which is neede for body maintenance there will be no gain. A thousand-pound steer has been found by experiment to require daily 15 pounds of timothy hay, 12 ounds of clover hay and seven I of corn meal just to keep on an even keel. More must be fed if there is to be any gain.

much.

It seems at the present time that commands \$75 to \$100 a month, with turns for their services to others can breaking the mule when young he can \$200 to \$300 to himself if he apply science to his own soil.

Medicinal Properties of Vegetable Vegetables have medicinal properties Tomatoes act on the liver, spinach or the kidneys so does asparagus: all kinds of greens purify the blood. tues and encumbers cool the system and celery is excellent for both their matism and the nerves. A soup made with onions is regarded by the French as a restorative in cases of debility and weekness of the digestive organs. Leeks be kept clean with whitewash. It is and garlic promote digestion, and it is and garlic promote digestion, and it is not right to bring a horse in from the said that beet root gives energy and bright sunlight and shut him up in a cheerfulness.

Furning "No face. I often see wild yarns telling how mechanic with \$300 to \$400 can make a they will not lie down in fifthy straw, good living on a few acres of land or a stenographer or school teacher can earn If he works hard he deserves a good, enough to support a family with clean bed. eblekens on a town lot.

People who are ignorant of the farmnation are often induced by these ally stories to throw up their jobs and try it. Any kind of farming is serious business and requires a lot of tachnical latter bolts his fued by If a m

which he can experiment, keeping close to the payroll at the factory he will be able to tell in a year or two whether it is a good thing or not.

Go very alow and when you venture on farming or chicken raising, stick close to some other kind of a job that will keep the meal tub supplied till you are sure you can succeed. Then go at Rape makes fine hog feed. They do it for all you are worth. Exchange.

> Fruit and Sugar for Morn Grain is not the only food on which dive's best mares are fed largely on currants, and these animals are noted for

> their endurance and speed. Figs, during the fig harvest, form the food of the horses of Smrynn; they turn to it from outs or hay.

The green tops of the sugar cans are led to the horses of the West Indies, Better to plant a little in the gar-en and plant well than to half plant Canada, windfall apples form the torse's footl

In Tasmunia penches and in Arabia dates take the place of the usual hay and onts, corn and bran.

Practical Pigeon Hints. Pigeons must have grit. Don't for-

get that There should be one bath pan for every twelve pair of birds.

up seed is one of the best stimulants known for pigeons. Thomas Wright says a pigeon's prin of life is from 5 to 9 years of age.

Green food is a luxury, but not a necessity. It is advised not to feed lettuce to pigeons. Never catch a bird in the daytime un less absolutely necessary. This alone

will make tame birds wild. Never feed one kind of grain exclusively. It is not good for the health of pigeons and greatly lessens the number young birds raised.

It is said by experienced squab grow ers that in ninety-nine times out of 100 if two birds are hatched, the first atched wil be a male. The homer is somewhat larger than

the Antwerp, longer faced, and in a greater variety of colors, and in many vays superior as a squab breeder. Make it Gradual.

The change from whole to skim milk in feeding the calf should be made by withholding a small amount of milk the first day, more the second, and so on. The amount withheld is thus gradually increased from day to day. An amount of skim milk must be added. at least equal in quantity of new milk withheld, until the change has been

completed. Some substances should be added as soon as the change begins that will supply an equivalent to the fat tained in the new milk withheld. No substance has been found superior for such use to linseed meal, that is, round flaxseed. Oil meal will answer the same purpose, and is far more frequently fed than ground flax, for the reason probably that it is relative ly cheaper. When the latter is used it is necessary to feed a larger quan-

tity than the former. In some instances the meal thus added is stirred in the milk, but in other instances, as when the calves have learned to take meal before the change from new to skim milk has begun, it is simply added to the meal. Sometimes the flarseed is made into a jelly, and this fed along with the milk

This practice was common years ago, but it is not so much practiced now, since separator milk has come to be so extremely available. jelly was usually warmed before it was put into the milk, and this helped to warm the latter when cold. The amount to be fed may be regulated for or the

Care of Horse

While grass is the best condition powder in the world, it must be given in very small doses at first until the

It is much better to let a horse get good farming and how to apply it way than to cut it and place it in his manger for him. If horses are allowed his board and lodging, and lives eas- to run in the pasture at night they should be provided with shelter to farmer, who can do so, should give which they can go in case of storms. A wet hide is conducive to much trouble In spite of the general belief that all mules are born stubborn and victors it is not true. If right care is used in

> Did you ever notice that a new collar which fits perfectly in the spring may be too large in a week? This is because a horse's shoulders shrink when suddenly put to hard work when he is soft.

> A sore neck is invarably the result of an ill-fitting collar. If the old horse shows a revenous appetite all the time but does not get fat you may be pretty sure his teeth are had and that he is unable to properly chew his food. Get busy with a file.

The inside of the horse stable should dark stable for more than a few hours, particularly in the day time.

Some horses are so fastidious that and thus fall to get the needed rest A horse's stomach is usuall and be

should be fed often. He will begin to one fiesh the moment he goes hungry. There is a great diffe a good feeder and a greedy feeder. The

knowledge, and it cannot be learned in too big a hurry to get away with it a day or a year. and let him note atomic for his g



INFLUENCE OF SMALL THINGS. By Bev. Dr. Abram S. Issacs For who bath despised the day o

mall things ?-Zach. iv., 10. The real things that tend to make or mar our careers are often the small things "the vital issues of defeat or victory may apring from the veries The most fatal defects or week trition nesses, too, can be apparently insignifi cant, escaping observation like the tiny worm which pierces the dock's massive foundation or cuts through the ship's side. The prophet does not always

speak in rapt visions or restrict his message to a heavenly Jerusalem. His dominant motive is to arouse to a sense of each day's importance and to conduct as the essential factor in religion And as the minutes control the hours and mere fractions of time the mouth and years, so our character is the resultant of single acts and thought which become in their turn irresistible habits and impulses, like the separate delicate threads which can be welded

into an unyielding chain. The painter's canvas glows with life and beauty by his deft use of bits of pigment-small fragments of color tha give rise to figure and landscape of surpassing charm. So the gentle traits the modest qualities, the quiet tastes the unobtrusive deeds, the unselfish at titude, the little attentions. It is just these small things which render our life fragrant, giving genuineness and

But there is another view of the text We are judged less by the trend of our life in its vastness and sweep, by the alm and extent of our purpo and ambitious, than by the little acts that

where once were smiling the word that inspires, although ut tered so gently that your neighbors do not hear it; the hand clasp which puts

dare not be despised by those of us who

wish to rise to higher things.

By Henry F. Cope. "But one thing is needful; and Mary

Luke 10:42. When you read that story of the who seemed to slight her share in the household duties, especially when you bear the usual interpretation of the incident as showing that Martha was neglecting her soul while Mary was caring for hers, you cannot but wonder that the apparent laziness of the one

should be praised over the kindly, hos-

Bow a little more clover and divide it

up into hog pastures. It will pay big, the horse thrives. In Egypt, the Khe-It is a good scheme to use kerosene liberally about the interior of the place the entire year,

quickly burns out.

den and plant well than to half plant a great quantity of stuff. The community where the good dairs

Fie is good, but nobody wants it three

There are about twenty-five kinds of nut-bearing trees in the United States. The consumption of nuts is increasing rapidly, the demand evidently growing

which, if hitched close together, would make a chain that would reach around All good sheep feeders have

The first butterfly farm was estabare now many similar farms in Franc

Unless the stock is fed an amount

If a neighbor asks us to do an er rand or two while in town why be grumpy? We may want to ask a favor ourselves next day or next week. And, es straight for the chair with by the way, some men have a knack of a time, at least, by the influence that doing a troublesome act for a neighbor the meal or the fally exercises on the A man has no greater capacity of heaven than he has power to create pression that it is the one thing that gestion. If too much is fed, the dispersion will be unduly lax—Prof. pression that it is the one thing that gestion will be unduly lax—Prof. gives him great pleasure. That is a Thomas Shaw. fine gift and we cannot cultivate it too

> the graduates of the state agricultural schools of the country are finding horse gets used to it. no trouble in getting located. The young man who knows the science of his grass from the pasture in his o ily, comfortably and wholesomely. The his sons the education that will thus lift them to the heights of their occu pation. Young men trained so that they can command such financial reuse their scientific training to still be made just as gentle and useful as a greater profit for themselves. The sci-entific farmer, who is worth \$100 or of bad breaking. \$150 a month to another man, is worth



Thousands of American women in our homes are daily sacrificing their lives to duty.

In order to keep the home neat

and pretty, the children well dressed and tidy, women overdo. A female weakness or displacement is often weakness or displacement is often brought on and they suffer in silence, drifting along from bad to worse, knowing well that they ought to have help to overcome the pains and aches which daily make life a burden. It is to these faithful women that

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Australian Cadets.

All children in Australia are drilled, but the elder boys are attached to the Australian military forces by means of the cadet corps. Almost every large wear neat khaki uniforms and are armed with light rifles, in the use of which they are frequently instructed. Every year those boys have shooting matches, and the scores prove that among the youngsters there are many have already become skilled marksmen.-London Standard.

THREE CURES OF ECZEMA.

Weman Tells of Her Brother's Terri ble Suffering—Two Bables Also Cured—Cutleura Invaluable.

"My brother had eczema three dif-ferent summers. Each summer it came out between his shoulders and down his back, and he said his suffering was terrible. When it came on the third summer, he bought a box of Cuticura Ointment and gave it a faithful trial. Soon he began to feel better and he cured himself entirely of ecsems with Cuticura. A lady in Indinna heard of how my daughter, Mrs. Miller, had cured her little son of terrible eczema by the Cuticura Remedies. This indy's little one had the eczema so badly that they thought they would lose it. She used Cuticura Rem edies and they cured her child entirely, and the disease never came back Mrs. Sarah E. Lusk, Coldwater, Mich. Aug. 15 and Sept. 2, 1907."

Tit for Tat. Affable Barber-You're very bald on

Self-Conscious Customer (much antalk so much. 'Ow about that squint of yours?-London Telegraph.

Powerful Explosives. "What are the most powerful explosives known?" queried the young man "Two prima donnas in one opera company," replied the ex-theatrical manager.—Chleago News.

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The horses of lesiand are shod with

Turkey holds the record for the num ber of aged pareous in proportion to the popula tion. Some of the screws made for the use

of watchmakers are so tlay 100,000 could be placed in an ordinary thimble. There is an average of seven car colisions a day on the steam, subway, elerated and surface rallways of New

During the summer season the bor rugh of Richmond, New York City, donbles its population on every pleasant Sunday, but only for that one day.

The newspaper was invented by Paris physician, who, finding his visits velcome whenever he brought any nows or gossip, applied to Cardinal Richellen for a patent to publish the Paris Gaxette in 1622

For the last fourteen years a brood of tomtits has been reared each spring in the letter box at Uttoxeter workhouse. Since the parent birds first took ssession of the box they have hatched 200 eggs.—London Standard.

Several German firms (in Elbenstock and Zwickau) have purchased large forest sections in the vicinity of Chioidni, Roumania, where they propose to erect sawmills and ship from there annually about 40,000 cubic meters of umber to Italy, France and Germany.

Negotiations among the German manufacturers of wall paper have finally led to the organization of a trust. The seven leading manufacturers who have already joined have a combined annua production of about \$2,020,000. The total output of wall paper in Germany is estimated at \$7,000,000 per annum.

Miss Jean Gordon, who has won a ational reputation by her work in behalf of women and children, done as factory inspector in Louisians, is not to be re-elected to her office. It is asserted that she has incurred the enmity of the manufacturers and the politicians and in spite of the protests of the women of the State she will be turned out of office.

The blood of the chinoceros is very highly esteemed by Burmese and Chise as a medicine for all kinds of allments. Whenever a party of hunters are successful in shooting a rhinoceros -they are less numerous than they sed to be-the native beaters carefully draw off the blood and bring it to Rangoon stored in hollow bamboos. The precions liquid is worth its weight in

sliver.-London Standard. The sheath skirt is not new in But mah, where the women wear a garment school has its band of cadets, who split to the waist, "now concealing, now revealing." The men wear the same sarong, unsplit. In Cochin and Travancore, India, the reputable native wom en wear nothing above the waist except oserings and earrings; the Syrian Christians wear a jacket and a comical little "Cochin tail," something like the obi of Nippon, on their skirts.-New

Pear-shaped balloons are the fashion in Belgium. The point is upward, the base of the balloon is spherical. It is claimed that balloons of this shape pierce the air vertically with far greatspeed than the ordinary sphericu balloon. Consequently they are steadier. Also the upper pointed end prevents the accumulation of moisture or snow on the surface, which frequently weighs a balloon down and destroys lis

power to rise. Though Russin has much coal and tron, her industries are quite undeveloped. Her industrial backwardness may be gauged from the fact that with a territory and a population twice as large as those of the United States, Russia produces only one-tenth of the quantity of fron produced in the United States, and that she raises only one-twentieth of the quantity of coal. Agriculturally and industrially, Russia

is a -mediaeval country.—New York Evening Post,

noyed)-What if I am? You needn't narily appear larger in the right half of the field of vision than in the left. With a smaller number of persons this is reversed. From these facts he deduces a possible origin of right and number of employes in the establishments left-handedness. Right-handedness, or its reverse, develops at about the age in 1900. of seven months. Dr. Stevens suggests that they may be due to the phenomena Gran Liga de Carpentros has been or of vision just described. By a reflex ganized in the City of Mexico for pur offeet the infant reaches after the ob-

> Miss Martha Von Rensselser, supervisor of the reading course for farmers wives conducted by the Agricultural College of Cornell University, believes that there should be a woman judge in juvenile courts where girls are tried. The association aims at temperance and morality among the workmen and will start ampaign for shorter hours of work. An important feature is that strong opposition is to be made to any difference in the strong control of the strong conduction aims at temperance and morality among the workmen and will start a control of the strong cont She bases her opinion on personal ob-servation of various juvenile courts, notably those in New York city. She notably those in New York city. She believes that there are many questions there was a woman on the bench, but pay a strike fee for the aid and benefit which they now invariably lie about when questioned by a man. This is me of the very few instances in which Miss Van Rensbelser believes segregation of the two sexes would be benefi-

> ctal. In the total number of maramana hirds, reptiles and amphibians (4.084; on exhibition, the New York Zoologionl Park stands to-day at the head of eni Park stands to-day at the head of all the soological parks and gardens of the world. Berlin comes next with mitted to a referendum vote of the affil a total of \$.140. The area of the New lated locals under the international broth York Zoological Park in land and water embraces 246 acres. Of walks and roads there are about eight miles, and of fences ten and one-half miles The maintenance force of the park, constantly on duty, embraces 141 persons. The number of visitors in 1907 was 1.272.046-mearly one-third of the thre population of the metropolis of the American continent. Of this num ber it is estimated that a quarter of a

The average man had ashamed to de ngo that he trouble be achor-

million were from outside of New York



A new union of carpenters has rmed at Virgues, Porto Rico. Notish blackswiths are taking a vote of the members as to affiliation with the

Euglish Labor party. The Governor of Porto Rico has recon mended to the Legislature a law creating a labor bureau on the island.

The membership of the British Pro vincial Association of Cotton Spinners is 18,143, an increase of 1,641 on the year. The Marine, Longshoremen and Transport Workers' Association has decided to increase its per capita tax from 5 to 15

The German ironmasters threaten close down all iron works because of akilled labor's refusal to accept reductions in wages.

San Francisco (Cal.) Iron Trades Council will vote on a proposition to join the recently formed International Metal ciation. The recent Scottish Trade Union Con

gress passed resolutions, in favor of old-age pensions and in favor of compulsory intervention in labor disputes.

The Scotch Shipbuilding Employers' Federation and the men's union are arranging for a joint agreement, and the men's union has appointed seven wellknown representatives to draft a consti-During June the average number employed daily at the docks and principal wharves in London was 12,049, a do-

crease of 3.1 per cent, as compared with a month ago, and of 0.2 per cent, as compared with June, 1907. The eight-hour demonstration in Bris bone. Australia, recently was marked by the participation for the first time in the history of the day of organized women

workers. The new recruits represented the Clothing Trade Female Employee The officials of the International Bras Molders' Union, which was organized Oc tober, 1904, report that their membership has now reached 10,000 in this country. The union has established a sick benefit fund, and also a death and burial

frnd. In Wheeling, W. Va., there are ove forty stogie factories. All of them are union shops. In them over 800 stogie makers, all union men, are employed, and in addition to these, between 400 and 600 apprentices, not to mention the several hundred tobacco workers employed it Wheeling as a result of the stogic indus

By referendum vote the various phot engravers' unions have agreed to levy at ment of \$2 on each member to raise a fund that shall be used to maintain an establishment in which members of the trade who may be affected with tuberculosis may be treated. How this place is to be established and kept up is to be decided by the international body.

The United Railway Men's organisa tion of the State of New York, which is a legislative body made up of members of the five railroad brotherhoods, will hold a special meeting at which a resolution will be passed demanding an amendment to the law creating the State and city public service boards, providing for the appointment of a representative of labor on

At New Bedford, Mass, three unions of carpenters and joiners have appointed committee to examine applications for admission into cither unio cant must demonstrate by working out fifteen or twenty problems with his tools, and if he can do that he is admitted, oth-erwise rejected. This rule has been adopted because of many complaints that rship in a union is not absolute proof of competency.

Shoemakers were among the first of the trades to organize a union in this country; also among the first to engage in strikes. In the fall of 1792 the pioneer strikes. In the fall of 1792 the pionest union of the shoe workers was organized in Fbiladelphia. It grew to be considered a power, and in 1796 a strike in all the shops of the city was ordered to enforce a demand for an increase of wages. It lasted but a few days, the amplication seems that the demand employers recognizing the demand.

The Bureau of Labor has made public figures gathered by an investigation of Evening Post,

Dr. H. C. Stevens, of Seattle, reports

in 4,160 establishments, representing the recent experiments which show that principal manufacturing and mechanical objects seen by indirect vision ordinarily appear larger in the right half the delay of the country. The data collected, it is asserted, demonstrates that the average wages an hour in 1907 were investigated was 1 per cent greater than

A length of carmenters known as the noses of mutual protection. The by-law them.

Miss Martha Van Rensselaer, Super.

Miss Martha Van Rensselaer, Super. bern from being unfairly treated. death. In addition to the regular fee the members will,

The movement for perfecting an ama gamation of the various branches of the lithographers' unions into one central hody will mean the merging of over 100 900 members of the lithograph trades into ne organization, which will have great strength throughout the linited States

Hebrew painters of Cambridge, Mass. painters' district council of eastern Mar erhood law to that effect.

A resolution was adopted at the Tim versal Peace Congress in London, Eng. and, to invite representatives of trade erganizations to attend future peace congreenes, on the ground that of peace lay largely in the hands of the haboring men.

Returns from the presidential election in Cube have come in slowly. It appears that the honors were divided pretty even ly between the Conservative and the tw branches of the two Liberal parties. That the elections were conducted in an erderly manner gave great actinization to Gov. Magnen and the American authorities at Washington.



In making public the report of the special commission appointed to inves tigate the work and conditions of work on the Panuma Canal, President Roose. velt expressed ins complete satisfaction with the progress to date, saying that he doubts if there is any public work of recent years of which the people have greater reason to be proud. Not only has the work done been greater than was expected under the manage ment of Colonel Goethals, but the rate of the progress has been increased The President also says that the treatment of hygienic conditions has been such as to make it literally the mode for all work of the kind in tropical countries, remarking that "at present the canal zone is one of the healthlesi places on the globe." The commission finds that the wages are not too high at 10 per cent above the rate for con struction work in New York, but ad vises that the pay be more equalized for various kinds of service. The commission praises highly the recognition by the government "that the housing, feeding and health of its employes bear a vital relation to their economic efficlency," and that the complaints of the workers be promptly investigated also that liberal provision for cases of disability be made. At the same time the President forwarded the report to Goethals with orders to put the rec ommendations into effect so far as possible.

Cocaine and its derivatives cannot be sent through the United States mails. This order has been issued by the nost office department, through alarm caused by the alarming growth of the cocaine habit in the larger cities. Government reports show that an enormous amount of cocaine is sent through the mails each year, and that this class of matter is steadily growing greater. The crusades waged against the habit in the cities have driven the "drug flends" to seek other means of procuring the powder, and the mails have been the inno cent channel through which the work of the crusaders has been rendered partially ineffective. The action was taken by authority of Congress granted at the last session, when it included a prohlbition against the drug in making up the department's appropriation bill. It developed that in the South the habit had fixed itself to an alarming degree on the negroes. The curse of cocaine, in fact, is said to be as great if not greater nulsance, to the peace of that section of the country than the liquor habit.

A preliminary analysis of the report of the conference of officers at the Naval War College at Newport shows that in future the armor belt of the larger ships will be extended below the water line, but that the belt will not be raised above its present position. Those in process of construction will be armored as heretofore pre scribed. The conference has deckled to abandon the military masts and to adopt the 90-foot fire control towers of steel recently tested at Hampton Roads. The principal guns of the sec-ond battery will be 5-inch instead of 6.

Supt. Scott of the West Point Academy conferred with Secretary Wright at Washington and pointed out that the expelled boys had disobeyed orders by going to Washington in person to appeal for clemency. One explanation of the conflicting reports is that the decree of dismissal was approved by Acting Secretary Oliver in Wright's absence and forwarded to the Presi dent, who gave his "O. K." pro forms, Then when it reached Wright for execution he was inclined to leniency. Scott next was to confer with the President.

The report that the trans-continental railroads controlled by James J. Hill, Edward H. Harriman, the Berwynd syndicate and the Canadian government, have determined to surrender their export trade to China, Japan, New Zenland and Australia on Nov. 1, has created a great deal of interest at the offices of the interstate commerce commission, but the commission will not charge its rule requiring the publication of export rates, which is responsible for the action of the railroads.

The army airship board decided that Cant. Baldwin's dirigible balloon had met all conditions entitling him to the amount agreed upon for its purchase The board calculated that the airshin had mnintuined an average speed of 13.75 miles per hour while in the air 2 hours 1 minute and 50 seconds, this speed being slightly more than the reper cent of the maximum quired 70 speed of 19.61 miles per hour. Cent. Baldwin will receive \$5,737.50.

Sculptor Brenner has been called into consultation with the President to design a medal bearing the profile of Mr. Roosevelt, to be presented to all em ployes who see one year or more of continuous service on the Panama Canal. It will be about the size of a \$10 gold piece and will be cast in bronze. On one side will be a picture of a ship passing through the canal and the words, "Presented by the Presi dent," with space left for the name of the recipient.

A subcommittee of the Monetary Commission appointed by Congress has gone to Europe, headed by Aldrich. He said the object of the trip was to gain a more detailed knowledge of the Enancial systems of the leading sercial nations and also of the methods of collecting and distributing the public revenues. Another subcom milities is at work upon amendments to the banking laws. Senator Aldrich mission in to make a re-BRYS the com port on a complete menetary system for this nation.

MUNTING WILD HORSES.

Smoot in New South Wales "How the Autmale Are Broken. Whether "brumby" is a surviva- of the aboriginal name for a wild horse or a corruption of "unbranded" specura to be a question which biologists inte ket underided, but brumby hunting is till a favorite sport in New South Wales mays the London Standard.

Districts like the Clarence and Ste phens and Manning river watershed are till the home of numerous droves of brumbles, and hunting them is declared to be a very exhibitating pastime. The first sten taken is to stake out a corral and make all secure except a narrow entrance, which can subsequently be gated. On either side of the entrance and projecting from it funnel-wise a "booby fence" is premared. To the simple-midded brumby it pre

sumably looks like a stockade and pieces of fluttering cotton make it look impregnable. When this is ready the young bloods, well mounted, gallop out and round up the wild horses, driving them with shouts and much loud snap ping of stock whips toward the mouth of the funnel. In a group of brumbles there is al ways a leader, and when once the hunters have got the leader heading for the

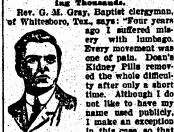
corral they are pretty certain of the rest of the drove. The fluttering cotton rags of the sham fence are sufficient to deter the brumbles from breaking through the flimsy barriers and in less time than it takes to tell the wild horses are safely corralled and the big gate shut on them. Then they are left for four and twen

ty hours without food and water to reflect on the altuation and after that they can be broken in without much difficulty.

The Country's Best Dressed Man. The best dressed man in the United States, according to the best of authority, is C. S. Eddy, a banker's clerk of Providence, R. I. Eddy possesse some fifty-odd suits. He says that is approximately the number, but really it's too much trouble to count them, you know. There is a suit for each day in a month, suits for social functions, for driving, walking, for almos every special thing a human being can do. Moreover, it is said he is constantly adding to his collection.

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Queer Names. The writer of an article on queen family names which was recently published in the New York Tribune, in speaking of Judge Peter S. Gross.up. said that his name, although omitted from the article, belonged in the "originally German" class. The name, h mys, was undoubtedly Grosskoof (great iend), just as his mother's family name must originally have been Bowermelster, although she was known as Susannah Bowermuster. Among the Anglicised names in this class are Remenschneider (strap cutter), which became Rimensnyder; Rindskopf (bullhead), was changed to Rinskorf; Wanpenmacher (tubmaker). Wanamaker Krankheit (sickness), Cronkhite; Loewentritt (tread on the lion), Lev-entritt, and Knoblauch (garlic), Knoblock.

How She Kept Young Some one once asked a woman hor t was she kept her youth so wonderfully. Her hair was snowy white, sh was 80 years old and her energy was waning, but she never impressed one with the idea of age, for her heart was still young in sympathy and interest And this was her answer: "I knew how to forget disagreeable things. I tried to master the art of saying plens ant things. I did not expect too much of my friends. I kept my nerves well in hand, and did not allow them to bore other people. I tried to find any work came to hand congenial."--Wothat man.

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grows so rapidly. A Va. mother found the value of Grape-Nuts in not only building up her own strength but in nourishing her baby at the same time. She writes: "After my haby came I did not re cover health and strength, and the doc

tor mid I could not nurse the baby as I did not have nourishment for her, besides I was too weak. "He said I might try a change of diet and see what that would do, and recommended Grane-Nuts food. ought a pkg. and used it regularly.

A marked change came over both baby and L. "My baby is now four months old is in time condition, I am nursing her and doing all my work and never felt better in my life." "There's a Res-

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An elopement by bobsleigh recently coursed at Blenne, where a young Swiss, forbidden to visit his sweetbeart's house, carried off the girl by an ingenious ruse.

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The girl persuaded her parents to accompany her up the mountain route of Evilard to watch the tobogganing. Half way up, shouts of warning were heard, a sleigh came tearing down, and everyone ran to the side of the course The girl alone stood still.

The lover and his friends, who were on the sleigh, slackened speed, caught the girl in their arms, and flashed down to the bottom of the run. There the lovers caught a train to Basie. where their marriage took place immediately.

St. Peter's in Rome.

From the beginning of the foundation to the time when the great church of St. Peter's in Rome could be said to be omplete three and a half centuries had clapsed, eighteen architects had been employed and forty-three popes had reigned. The cost of the great church can never be known with exactness. A the end of the seventeenth century it had cost \$50,000,000, without including the sacristy bell, towers, etc. The last important work on the edifice was done by Pope Plus IX., on the four hundredth anniversary of the birth of Michelangelo.—New York American.

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Big Pennsylvania Cak.

A monster rock oak tree was recently cut in Juniata township, Huntingdon county. Its dimensions were as follows after having been cut down and peeled: The circumference of the butt was 12 feet 7 inches, or a diameter of about 4 feet; the diameter at the end of the last log, or 62 feet from the butt, was 22 inches; no limbs were on the tree withn 00 feet of the ground. The logs were measured and the amount of lumber that can be made is 2,190 feet board measure, and twelve crosstles can be made from the limbs. The bark will amount to from 11/2 to 11/4 cords.— Philadelphia Record.

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can't vote."-Washington Star.

Typographical Error. Kutten—I was surprised when this morning's Thunderbolt, in referring to me, said I had a "Websterian intellect." Dryde-So was the editor. He told me be wrote it "lobsterian."-Chicago Trib-

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Ninth—Warren E. Carter, Ludington.
Tenth—H. B. Smith, Bay.
Eleventh—Arthur J. Doherty, Clare.
Twelfth—Jas. R. Thompson, Gogebic-

Republican State Convention.

The State Convention of the Republicans of Michigan is called by the Republican State Central Committee to meet at the Light Guard Armory in the city of Detroir on Tuesday the 29 day of Beptember, 1908, at 11 o'clock in the forencon, for the purpose of nominating candidates for atate of fices, and for the transaction of such other business as may negarly come, growing in the open field, where it is

to the county convention will be chosen under the county system. The delegates from the several counties in each congressional dis-trict are requested to meet in district caucus at 9:30 o'clock a. m. on the day of the state convention, and select officers to be presented to the state convention for confirmation. Crawford-County will be entitled to

Democratic County Convention. To the Democratic Electors of the

County of Crawford:

The County Convention of the Democrats of Crawford County is hereby called to meetat the CourtHouse in the Village of Grayling on Tuesday, the fifteenth day of September A. D. 1908

In two o'clock in the afternoon, for of life, can lift the whole family to of pears from Jacob Truax, Tuesday the life that a life the whole family to of pears from Jacob Truax, Tuesday the life that the l so to elect two delegates to attend the Senatorial Convention of the 28th Senatorial District; also two delegates to attend the representative conven-tion of the Presque Isle District; also to nominate county officers and elect a county committee and to trans-

The several townships are entitled to the number of delegates as follows: Heaver Creek 2. Frederic 2, Grayling 7, Maple Forest 2, South Branch 2, Total 15. Dated at Grayling this 25th day of

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man than Bryan,

the balance between the leading par- of humor if we only try. ties four years ago that the Republicans cast 109,497 and the Democrats indication of the line of thought fol- alone.

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These considerations will appeal not only to people in Maryland, but in other southern states. It is the same reasoning it at how put the New York Times and Evening Post and the Springfield Key ablican and other numerapares normally identified with City Tribune.

HomeCircles gartment

A column dedicated to Tired Moth ers as they join the Home Circle at Kvening Tide.

Crude thoughts as they fall from the Editorial Pen-Pleasant Evening

Baby Has Gone to School

The baby has gone to school; sh me What will the mother do, With never a call to button or bla Or tie a little shoe? How can she keep herself busy all day With the little 'higdering thing' away

Another basket to fill with lunch, Another "goodbye" to say, And the mother stands at the door

Her baby march away; And turns, with a sigh that is hal relief,

And half a something akin to grief. She thinks of a possible future more When the children, one by one. Will go from their home out into the

world To battle with life alone; And not even the baby be left to cheer The desolate home of that future year

She picks up garments here and there

Thrown down in careleas haste, And tries to think how it would sec If nothing were displaced; If the house were glasys as still

this, How would she bear the loneliness?

nces, and for the transaction of such other business as may preperly come growing in the open field, where it is before the convention.

In counties that have not adopted the direct voting system for the nomination of county officers, delegates man who is compelled to rely on his man who is compelled to rely on his where she has been visiting the past If. wish to hire one thousan dolown resources, forms an independence of character to which he could not otherwise have attained. Therefore prefer rather to climb up hill Thursday the fire came up to the inglorious ease.

> Take the sermons you hear home to neighbors, and the people in the pews around you, there won't be much of the "good seed of the gospel" left to

at two o'clock in the attenuous and of life, can lift the whose inmit to the purpose of electing two delegates to attend the State Convention to be hereafter called for the nomination of State Officers; also to elect two delegates to attend the Congressional; alternative with the harmony is perfect. A stranger Mes. Trues, the that level, just as the leader of an or- morning, they were all sold quick and entering a household knows whether the key note there is high or low. There are houses, affluent in wealth and culture, where the discords are incessant, and the meaning of life no higher than that of brutes. But no day. symphony can compare with the significance of daily life, in a family of gentle words and noble conduct.

For a good, every-day househol angel give us the woman who laughs. Her biscuit may not always be just right, and she may occasionally burn er bread and forget to replace dislo cated buttons, but for solid comfort all day and every day she is a very The Baltimore Sun which supported paragon. Home is not a battle-field Bryan in 1900 and Parker in 1904, has nor life one long unending row. The come out for Taft in this campaign trick of always seeing the bright side, and explains its course by enumerat; or if the matter has no bright side, of ing the reasons why Taft is a safer shining up the dark one, is a very important faculty; one of the things no Maryland is normally a Democratic woman should be without. We are state, but it has given pluralities for not all born with the sunshine in our Republican presidential electors in the hearts, as the Irish prettily phrase it, last three campaigns. So close was but we can cultivate a cheerful sense

Take people by the haud whom you 109,446 a Republican majority of on really wish to help. Don't stand on a gar is quite sick, she ealled Dr. Insley ly 51. The action of the Sun one of high pedestial and tell them to do Saturday evening. the most influental newspapers of the themselves the honor of jumping to state, will materially strengthen the your level. Either go to them kindly day to help Lew, who is almost swamp-Republican ticket and place the state and extend to them the friendly hand with work. surely in the Taft column. Here is an of christian fellowship, or let them

The Rise of a Boy.

This boy goes to his business, and at his business begins by simply dohead of the national government than ling the things he is told to do, and with Mr. Bryan. We further believe doing them in a common and ordinary way. If he stops here, he remains all brought to account by Mr. Taft with his life long a drudge. But if he beas little fear or favor as Mr. Bryan gins to see that business has a significould display, the methods employed cance, that his life is not merely to tear up I jack, but each one meets sweeping the store, not merely writing the same old fate and trots the same letters, not merely selling goods; if he old track. Ceasar's dead and turned in business; if he begins to see that has gone the way the rest of us must business is a greater instrument of go. The sages, poets, heroes, all the beneficence than that we call benefi- men of worth, into the open grave lated in all parts of the United States cence, that trade is clothing thousands must fall and crumble back to earth. indical temperment, his patience and of men where charity clothes ten, that Then let's not join the mad affary thoroughness in investigation, justi- agricultural and milling industries and struggle like the dence, and by the belief that as president he are feeding thousands of men where agonize our lives away, for really would execute the law faithfully and charity feeds ten if he begins to see what's the use? Let's live and love well, but not spectacularly. And how the whole history of the world is and sing the while, and work some while this type of man ought to be in linked together, and is God's way of now and then, and give to everyone a the White House all the time, he building up humanity and serving hu- smile that cheers the hearts of men seems to be especially needed new manity—as he gets this larger view, And whether we are crowned with and enters into it, life is enriched and flowers or chilled with, winter anows becomes itself the minister whereby with happiness let's fill the hours; ere love is enlarged and conscience is we turn up our toes. Wait Mason in strengthaned, the school wherein he Emporia Gazette. is educated out of the lower into the higher.

18 Your Home Coxy?

There are many screaling bomes that do not deserve the mame at all. Democratic polices, but concerned for Home means comfort, but when we the good of the people rather than for have it fixed up so elaborately that the success of a faction or a party at we must ait in the garret or the back "It does not." the expense of the general welfare in yard to genuinely enjoy ourselves behalf of Taft and Sherman. Bay then it is high time we made a change and turned out the too-go

emely things that we could enjoy every day of the year and every mo-

sent of the day. Men like pretty home-makers, mintake there. They can appreciate beauty as well as the next one, but such rich material that they are quite and Wayne street, the reverse of the name given them? In there any satisfaction in a room he furnishings of which cost hundreds of dollars, when it is only open at rare intervals, while the owner, perhaps, sits by the kitchen fire or in ome dingy sitting-room, where he can put his feet on the fender if he wants to, can smoke, and as a great indulgence, tilt Back in his chair?

Let the sunshine into the gloomy rooms, have a couch to lie on, a plant to play out in fact a home to live in: one wherein a sense of hospitality and good cheer exudes from the very tables and chairs, instead of a mausoleum of gloomy elegance, wherein every thing is for show and nothing to be

A Sure-enough Knocker.

J. C. Goodwin, of Reidsyille, N. C., says: "Bucklen's Arnica Salve is a sure-enough knocker for nicers. A bad one came on my leg last summer, but that wonderful salve knocked it out in a few rounds. Not even a scar romained," Gnaranteed for piles and sores, burns etc. 25c. at A. M. Lewis & Co. drug store.

Lovelis Locals.

T. E. Donglas & Co. large camp on Big Creek burnt last Friday, Mrs. T. Walkling returned Sunday from the southern part of the state,

M. Lazarus was in town Tuesday. The forest fires continue to burn with difficulties than to roll down with south side of town and there was This is a good safe chance to get fears at one time that the town would be burnt. The Douglas & Co's, teams were put to plowing and with wha yourself. If you divide them and help could be gathered the fire was parcel them out to your friends and stopped before it reached any of the buildings.

The Farmest and Forest Company The Farmest and Forest Company have their cold storage building about which pay five per cent interest. finished and are now building an ice For further information inquire

Henry Molan was in town Thurs

Mrs. Truex, "Jacobs mother" turned to her home in Lansing Vrie

day. Joe Simms, had the misfortune of losing his camp by forest fire Satur-This is the second time his

camp has been burned. The Douglas Company took a cree of men and a train of cars to Kneeland Tuesday, for timber that was in danger of fire. They were just in time as the fire reached the banking ground that pight, and their timber would have went up in amoke, had jul2-they not moved it when they did.

Glen Owen went to Flint Thursday Burt Egan, was in town Thursday. T, E. Douglas went to St. Helen Monday for ducks. He only got five.

Mr. McKinzie, Sr. went to Harrison Monday to put up another mill.

The Kellogg Bros. are drawing ties C. F. Dickinson brought a fine beef

to town Saturday. Jacob Truax returned from Caro Archie Rosiver was married to Miss

Nellie Henry Monday, they returned to Loyell Saturday. Mrs. T, E. Douglas little son Ed-

Edward McCallumore arrived Tues-

The drought continues, no rain since August 11th. Much damage

has already been done by the fire, and unless we get rain soon, we fear greater damage will be done.
DAN.

Man is a little cuss and hasn't long to stay, He lies around and makes a fuss and then he hykes away. Some men imagine they are great and try begins to see the higher life involved to clay and so is Cicero. Alexander is popular is proven by the fact that

> No Postry in His Business. "Does it not throw a shade of bittely ness into your beart," said the poetic routh, "to see the trees all leafless and to bear the wind sighing in mouraful monotony? Does it not make you feel that there is too much that is bleak in

"No," answered the practical youth

"Why ?" -Btray Stroles.

been associated with the George M. they want that beauty to be of an Savage advertising agency, the last order that appeals to their sense of five years as junior partner, hall sevhome comfort. Of what good are ered his connection with that institu cushions so elaborately embroidered tion to engage in business of his own that no head can ever repose on them? account with offices in the Trussed What sense is there in exay chairs of Concrete building, Lufayette avenue

Mr. Reaume will make a specialty of municipal, educational, real estate, cerest and general mercantile advertising, in which lines he has been so eminently successful that his work has attracted the attention and patrounge of a large number of prominent advertisers throughout the coun

A notable instance of Mr. Reanne' work in handling municipal advertising will be found in the publicity given the city of Mt. Clemens through his personal services. Newspapers and magazines will be the mediums given the greater part of Mr. Reaume's attention, his knowledge of circulation values and wide acquaintance with publishers assuring his clients an intelligent and comprehensive understanding of the field to be covered with their announcements.

With several very desirable contracts already closed and others of equal or greater importance in pros pect, the outlook for the success of the newly launched Reaume agency is of a decidedly succuraging nature.

get big interest on your money? Grayling Lodge No. 137 I.O.O. lars for the building fund. The loan is for two years, interest at 6 per cent, first-class security. a little better than the ordinary interest on your money. Not less than one hundred dollars FRESH considered in this offer. We still have a few shares at \$10.00 each of the Trustees.

M. SIMPSON P. C. PETERSON J. W. SORENSON

ANNOUNCEMENT

I wish to assupunce to the public that I have opened a shop in the Kraus building on main street, where I am prepared to do all kinds of sanitary plumbing, steam and hot water heating, bath room work a specialty. I also keep on hand all kinds of plumbing goods, fittings for iron pipes, leading goods, rubber hose, hose couplings and menders and all goods that are necessary to make up a first-class shop. All work guaranteed. Give me a call. jul2— F. R. DECKROW.

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THE BLADE Toledo, Ohlo

Please Pronounce It. The Russian official organ in 5%. Petersburg has a fine name for the newspapers. It is the Praultelatvini

Firemen on Ocean Linera One hundred and twenty firemen are required to feed the furnaces of a first-class Atlantic steamer

Prospect in Himalayas. Seventeen American mining neers are prospecting in the Hime-

hotographer ositively leases articular atrons romptly at

opular

rices.

ATCHES!

Is it a Watch You are in Need Of?

Then I have just what you want, whether it is an Ingersol dollar watch, a high grade movement in a solid gold case or any of the different grades

Guarantee any and all watches I sell ...

Call and look them over and do not be afraid to ask questions about the different grades and get prices on the same.....

C. J. HATHAWAY, Watchmaker and Jeweler.

Where?

People's Meat Market

you will always find a choice line o HAMS,

BACON AND SMOKED SAUSAGES

COOKED AND SALT MEATS.

Fresh and Salt Fish on Thursday and Friday.

We Want to Buy Your Fat Live Stock

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Fitting out the children for school

With books and pencils, and scribbler and inks and pens and all the other etceteras is a regular recurring duty. Each time the boy or girl steps up a notch something new is needed. Here is the store to come to get all the

All the varied wants of the little fellow in the lowest class or his big brother in the higher grade—or his sister at any point on the road of knowledge— can be got here the very minute they are needed.

We are always glad to assist the chil-dren to choose their necessities, even if they propose spending only a few A. M. LEWIS & CO,,

Druggist and Book Sellers

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is not a matter of guess work nor is it a matter of trying on pairs of ready made glasses. It is a science governed by principles which none but a person who has studied the anatomy of the eye can understand-no guess work in my methods of testing the

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Mid-Summer Clearance Sale!

Dress Goods and Silks.

The final call on Silks and Wool Materials should arrest the attention of every thrifty shopper. The lot includes almost any pattern for waist,

skirt or suit: 50c Silks for 39c, 75c Silks for 59c \$1.00 Silks for 79c, 1.50 Silks for 1.00

36 in Sultings in Mohairs, 50c value, at 37c '48 in all wool fancy Suitings, \$1.00 value, at 79c All wool Black Vall, \$1.50 values, at \$1.00

Lawn and Silk Shirt Waists, all the new styles, at ONE THIRD of reg-Men's Suits.

Regular \$22.00 Suits for \$15.00 Regular \$20.00 Suits for \$15.00 Regular \$18,00 Suits for \$13.00 Regular \$15.00 Suits for \$11.00 Regular \$12.00 Suits for \$9.00 Every suit we have in the store will be sold at cost!

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AND HEALER OF ALL DISEASES OF LUNCI D BY MALF A BOTYLE

Crawford Avalanche.

URAYLING, THURSDAY, SEP. 10

Local and Neighborhod News.

Take Notice.

The date following your address on this paper shows to what time your subscription is paid. Our terms are \$1.50 per year in ADVANCE. If your time is up, please renew prompity. A X following your name means we want

ur money. All advertisements, communications, correspondences, etc., must reach us by Tuesday noon, and can not be con-

Phonographs and records at Hath-

Simpson is selling phoes cheap. Your choice for \$1.00.

Found-Just the thing for that pres ent, a Fountain Pen from Hathaway's. Don't fail to see Hathaway's splen-

Special bargains in houses and vacant lots. Apply to Chas. S. Clark Discovered that the place to get shoes is at Simpson's.

did line of Fountain Pens.

Leave your orders for coal at S. H. Co's., store. Prices as low as any body.s.

the (south side.) C. F. Hauson.

H. P. Ogborne came down from

famiy and friends here. Seeing is believing, Go to Simpson's and see the good shoes he is

selling cheap. S. H. Co., will fill your coal bin, if on leave your order at their store.

It will pay you to order now. Miss Shea from Saginaw was the welgomed guest of Miss Louise Poter-

Desirable building lots for sale on terms to suit purchasers. Inquire of Lucien Fournier.

County has no exhibit at the State Fair. We believe it to be a mistake. School will soon begin, and then it

means whoes for the boy and girl. M. SIMPSON. Use Eureka Egg Preservative and save money. It is a sure thing. For

sale at the Central Drug store. For first-class funches at reasonable prices go to Collen's Restaurant.

Opposite S. H. Co's store. For eawing machines, the best in the market, and at the lowest price

Sall at the AVALANCHE office. You don't need the cash to get windmill or gasoline engine of

Cold weather will soon be here and if you need any coal for winter, it will pay you to leave your order with S. H. Co.

For Sale-A good framed house, eight rooms, with four lots, barn and large hen house. Enquire at this

The Roscommon News reports the sale of a 40 acre lot of clover seed for \$1500.00, before being hulled. "Barren

When you can get your photo on a post card for 75c per doz, what excuse are you going to give your friends for not sending them a picture.

Now is the time to get your home up all the nige vines and shrubs.

Chas. Osterman, of Mackinaw, a former resident of our town, was here Monday, shaking hands with old friends. He is well and prospering.

The new opera house and Odd Fellows hall is nearly through with the brick work and will soon be enclosed. It is an honor to the village.

Miss Helen Johnson went to Boyne Normal at Ypsilauti.

Canada lands for sale, situated in the heart of the hard wheat belt of the far famed Saskatchewan. Buy now and secure a prize.

HAZARD LAND CO., aug27-3w Spooner, Minn.

The Otsego County Herald reports large damage by forest fires in that county, fast week, and that a fine exfiblion of farm products are exhibit ed at the strte fair.

PERSONAL - Will Harry Green, machinist, or his friends please send Sable, Saturday evening and gives a his address to the AVALANCER OFFICE. Something to his advantage. Import-

The G. A. R. Ladies will have a regular meeting next kiriday afternaon, Sept., 11. Every member is re- prompt work has saved the buildings quested to be present as there is im- and most of the fences, and the fair portant business to be attended to heeretary.

A ten gent lunch will be served at the honge of Mrs. Shanahan, Wednes- Thursday, September 3rd., Cora Metday afternoon and evening, Sept., 16 caif, wife of George b), Metgalf, and and is making good in her work The proseeds to go for Parophial daughter of the late I-and M. Silsby residence. Everybody come and of Beaver Creek, of Typhoid fever,

The Love and Brott neighborhoods in Beaver Creek had a red hot time in Beaver Creek, last week, righting for They atteceded to preventing large loss in their buildings and crops large loss in their buildings and crops bat lost some fences and considerable standary to be present at the funeral factory at A. M. Lowis & Co. drug store. 25c.

County of Crawford convened at the Court House, Tuesday afternoon, as er published call.

The assembly, was called to order by M. Harlson, chairman of the county committee; who read the notice. Dr. C. H. O'Neil, of Frederic was elected chairman and Dr. C. C. Wescott was elected Secretary of the convention. The chair appointed the following committees:

Committee on Permanent Organization and Order of Business-C. F. Kelly, Frank Owen and J. C. Failing. Credentials -T. W. Hanson, I. H. Richardson and C. Craven.

Committee on Resolutions -- M. A. Bates, Frank Hardgrove and Axel Michelson. Tellers-S. N. Insley, Kirkby and

E. J. Brennen After appointing the several committees the convention took recess to

give various committees time to re-The reports of the several comnittees were accepted and adopted. The following resolutions were in-

troduced by the Committee on Reso-Intions and unanimously adopted: RESOLVED That, we, the Republi

cans of Crawford County in Convenvention assembled do herubp earnest ly re-affirm our faith in the Republi can Party and in the republican principals. Fifty-four years ago the par to the cause of freedom and a united encampments ever held. The Avalanche is designated to country was founded. During those publish the tax sale list of land for fifty-four years greater changes have been accomplished in the stress of war and in the realm of peace than those Mackinaw to agend last Sunday with wrought by any others since the days of the the humble Galilean. From a nation forn by internal strife and lit tle respected abroad, from financial bankruptcy and moral national de gradation, our beloved country, of which we are representatives has come to be the greatest,, wealthiest owing to the fact that the pastor is atand the cleanest in the world.

RESOLVED That we have a right to to be groud of what has been accomplished through that party during the as usual at 11.45 a. m., and Epworth last, the greatest half century of the

world's history. RESOLVED That we as members of party whose past is so blest with glorious benefits resolved here and now cure. Its future must be fittingly glor ous. It is further

RESOLVED That the mantle of our illustrious President Theo. Roosevelt, challenges the admiration of the world, has fallen upon a worthy and capable citizen, Hon. Wm. H. Taft, who is in every way fitted to become the head of a great nation and to shom we Bledge earnest and undivided aupport.

Ви гр Funruna Rusolven That we Col. Geo. A. Loud, who has so ably represented the Tenth Congressional Congress and pledge to him the support due him for the splendid service rendered to the State and Nation.

BR IT FURTHER RESOLNED That to the nominees of the convention we pledge our loyal support and the ex ercise of the same fidelity rendered to all nominees on the Republican Ticket.

M. A. BATES FRANK HARDGROVE A. E. MICHELSON

Committee

Judge of Probate-W. Batterson. Sheriff-W. S. Chalker. County Clerk- J. J. Collen. County Treasurer. Allen B. Failing. Register of Deeds-R. W. Brink.

Palmer. Prosecuting Attorney- O. Palmer County Surveyor -E. P. Richardson, Coroners-Dr. S. N. Insley, Dr. C. H. O'Neil.

The following County Committee was elected: Chairman-Marius Hauson.

Miss Helen Johnson went to Boyne

Ett, Saturday, where she will spend

Township members—T. W. Hanson,
the halange of the yagation, returning Grayling; C. H. O'Neil, Frederic; the last of the month to the State John Hardgrove, Maple Forest; H. Benedict. Beaver Creek; I. H. Rich-

> ardson, South Branch. Delegates to the State convention-C. H. O'Neil and Axel Michelson. Delegates to Senatorial Convention

> John J. Niederer and Charles F Kelley. The convention was the most har

monious ever held, every candidate being nominated on the first ballat.

F. Ireland, of Washington, came up from his summer home down the Au vivid description of the forest fires on noth sides of the river. Several thousand acres have been burned, on about fifteen miles up and down the river from his place. Hard and of Friday evening put the fire under

Died At her home in Traverse City The Love and Brott neighborhoods throughout this county where most of

Mrs. Mary Vallad and family had a strenuous time for three days last struction by forest fires.

Mr. and Mrs. J. Maiafailt, of Cheboygan, came down Saturday for a visit with Grandpa Roblinson, and "Joe" went to Detroit Monday to take in the Labor day ball game, and see the State Fair on the side.

The forest fires raging all around Grayling, destroyed the dwelling of Paul Labrach with all its contents. caving the family destitute. Ed. Alger, one of his ueighbors, lost his barn, harness and some tools.

Last Thursday morning mercury egistered at 29°, and considerable damage was done throughout the county, but much was saved by a heavy fog, which gave about as much precipitation as a good shower.

The Danish Brothers and Sisters Society will serve Ice Cream and Coffee during the afternoon of Septmber 12th, 10 cents. And a 15 cent supper from 5 to 8, at the W. R. C. Hall. Remember the place and date.

D. S. Waldron was the only exoldier who attended the National Encampment G. A. R., at Toledo, last week. He reports an immense crowd, with 30,000 veterans in line at the parade on Wednesday, and one of ty whose foundations were dedicated the most enthusiastic and successful

> R. Roblin and family have returned from a months happy outing, from Mackingw. Island to Cleveland and intermediate cities, closing for a few days at their old home in Bay City. They are glad of the going and gla of the return, where they are warmly welcomed,

> There will be no preaching service in the M. E. Church next Sabbath, tending the Annual Conference which convenes at Calumet September 10th., to 16th. There will be Sunday School

> League at 6.30 p. m. All are invited.

Rev. John J. Riess, formerly assist ant to St. Joseph's Church at West that the future of that organization Branch, has been appointed by Rt. shall continue to be bright with its Rew H. J. Richter D. D., bishop of service to humanity. Its past is sel Grand Rapids, as acting Pastor of St. Mary's Catholic Church of Gravling. He will also have charge of the surrounding missions of Roscommon Frederic.Lewiston and Johannesburg whose administration of public affairs Father Riess will reside here per missions from this parish.

W. and M. Reed and their wives, of ackson and Geo. Towars and wife, of Dakota, all cousins of Judge Batterson and Jas. Duyrer, who have becu visiting at their homes and at heartily endorse the renomination of Elmer Batterson's here last week, started for their respective homes Monday. All expressed themselves District of Michigan in the National as delighted, it being the first time the bunch had been together in many

Republican Caucus.

township of Grayling, Thursday evening was called to order by M. A. Bates. Chairman of the Township Committee, who was elected Secretary, and Wm. Butler and P. E Johnson appointed Tellers.

The following delegates were elect-Committee, ed: Marius Hanson, T. W. Hanson, The Assembly than proceeded to R. D. Connine, O. Palmer, Geo. the nomination of a county ticket Mahon, F. Narren, A. B. Farley, H. with the following result: Hauman, R. W. Bring J. J. Neideror, J. J. Collen, H. Oaks, M. A. Batos, A. Kraus, C. C. Wescott, F. Hozali, S. N. Insley, A. P. W. Becker, A. W. Smith, O. Michelson, Wm. Butler, V. Salling, P. Aebil. J. Millstrip

School Notes.

High School enrollment largest in vears. Freshman class numbers 25. Francis Reagan and Louise Peteron are newly enrolled high school students.

Mr. Bradley is reading for morning exercises essays on applyation by Van Dyke. This is one of the books adopted by the Michigan Teachers reading circle.

Miss Bell has the English work, Zoology and Physical Geography, Miss O'Callaghan the Languages. History and one Algebra class and Mr. Bradley looks after Geometry. Physics, Chemistry and Freshman

Everything bids well to make this one of the most suggessful years in

history of the Grayling School. Our new manuals will be ready tor distribution soon. They will give a complete outline of the work done in

our school. Our physical and chemical labora tory will be replenished soon, we also hear rumors of some library books.

The High School wish to thank the Board of Education for wiring the building this summer. All we now ask is to be hitched on to the dynamo. Misaga Ethel and Frankle Love are

enrolled this year. . We thank the Beaver Creok School for them and hope there may be many more in the near future. Emma Sherman comes from one of the Maple Forest schools REMEMBER.

They Take The Kinks Out.

Cameras!

We have secured the agency for Eastman's Cameras and Supplies. Camera owners know what the word Eastman means in this line of goods.

The Eastman people are making a specialty in Amateurs Outfits, and it is no trouble to operate one of their film or plate cameras. Do not wear out your ambition trying to use an old or poorly constructed Kodak. Starting out you need a good outfit, it is encouraging to the beginner when 📥 the effort is crowned with success in the form of a neat, well brought out picture. The Premo will do it. We have them in stock from \$2.00 to \$20.00.

Eastman supplies assure you of great results.

Sorenson's Furniture Store.

Remember!

That in buying your

ea and Coffee

from us you not only buy the highest grade but you secure the freshest, because our stock is shipped every 30 days from importers and roasters, this fact alone accounts for our many

Coffees.		Teas.	
Avon Club			50c
San MartoFashion Blend	25c Salad	la (black)	50c
T Watton Dicionative			

Bank Grocery, S. S. PHELPS JR., Prop'r.

RENCING for

We are making a specialts of Barbed Wire this week Call and get prices and see goods... Plows, Harrows, Small Tools Hardware and Seed in stock. We can furnish you with Dynamite and blasting supplies cheaper than the catalogue houses and right at home to save time and freight,....

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Candy.

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Diarrhoea, Colic and Cholera Morbus



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Are diseases that require prompt

In almost every neighborhood some one has died from these diseases before medicine could be procured or a physician summoned. Those who rely upon physicians often find that they are away from home when most needed.

Hvery family, and especially those who reside on farms and ranches.

miles from any drug store or physi-cian should keep at hand a bottle of Chambertain's Colic, Cholera and

Diarrhoea Remedy. No physician can prescribe a be ter medicine for the purposes for which it is intended.

The remarkable cures effected by this remedy, in all parts of the country, have made it the acknowledged standard.

It can always be depended upon to effect a quick cure, and when reduced with water is pleasant to take. It is equally valuable for children and adults.

FOR BALL AT THE CENTRAL DRUG STORE.

CRAYLAN PICKIGAS

RAWHIDE, NEV., BURNED.

Business Section of City Destroyed

by Figures Present by Gale. Three thousand people homeless, a score t mister injured, and a property toes of which started at 9 o'clock b'riday in the Rawhide Drng Company's building in Rawhide, Nev. Tanned by a gale, the fire swept rapidly south and east to Balloon avenue, and up Rawhide avenue to within fifty yards of the Propie's hospital. At 11 o'clock the business portion of Rawhide was a smoldering mass of rules, the flames being finally checked south of Bal-loon avenue. A partial list of the heaviest losers follows: First Bank of Rawhide, Bank of Rawhide, Mispah Mercantile Company, Nevada meat market, the Northern, Texas Rickard's, E. E. Marks & Co., Navada Club. Downer Hotel and Kelly's dance hall. The fire destroyed the pany, Grutt Hill properties and the Grutt boys' business office, the loss on these unting to \$10,000.

DROUGHT CLOSES MANY PLANTS

Lack of Water Causes Hardship is Western Pennsylvania.

A long-continued drought in western Pennsylvania and West Virginia is gradually reaching serious proportions and the lack of rain is causing the suspension of many industries. At Greenburg, Pa-several plants of the H. C. Frick Coke y have been compelled to shut Farmers are hauling water for miles. Streams which have never before been known to go dry are so shallow that only here and these a stagmant pool is found. This water is scooped up, boiled and used for domestic purposes. At Johnstown, Pa., two large reservoirs which have supplied the city with water are practically dry. To-day many homes in the central part of Johnstown are with-out water. At Morgantown, W. Va., the large plant of the American Sheet and te Company has suspended opera tions. Many lumber, coal and coking in dustries along Decker's creek are also idle

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35,051 MAIL MEN PROMOTED.

Postal Department Apparages Advancement of Cierks and Carriers. The Postoffice Department has com pleted the readjustment of salaries of no tal clerks and city letter carriers, effective July 1, 1908, 18,071 carriers and 16, 086 clerks being promoted. The law pro vides that every clerk or letter curries for advancement to the next higher grade with increased salary. The large per centage of such employes promoted and the small percentage of promotions with-held because of unsatisfactory service gratifies the department, as it indicates

gratifies the department, as it indicates a high degree of efficiency in the service Low Water Stalls Boats. Navigation on the Ohio river was clos

ed Wednesday between Pittsburg, Gallipolis and Cincinnati for the first time in five years. The river is the lowest it has been for twenty years. Many boats have n damaged by striking rocks in

Public Charge 85 Years: Dies. The champion pauper is dead, after be ing a public charge for eighty-five years Hezekiah Monk was born in the Herkime county, N. Y., poorhouse eighty five years ago, spent all his days there, and died in that institution.

Caolgoss' Brother a Maniant John Czolgosz, a brother of President McKinley's assarsin, was gentenced in Sharon, Pa., to the workhouse for three months. The police claim Czolgosz is in-

ne and his case will be investigated. Zia Bey, Abilul Hamid's one-time favor ite, tells of wholesale murders and atroci-ties in Constantinople, and has fied from New York to England, fearing the power

of the young Turks. Ohio Fire Costs \$100,000. Fire destroyed lumber valued at \$100,000 in the yards of the Saginaw Bay Lumber Company in Cleveland. The flames swept over two acres covered with

Chicago Widow Remarates, Mrs. Marshall Field, Jr., widow of the only son of the late Marshall Field of Chicago, was married at the Westminster registry office in London Thursday to Maldwin Drummond of London. d is a member of a well-known Hampshire family.

Drawn When Simp Capsizes. Six women and one man, well known in educational and social circles, were when a sloop was capaized by the wind in Penobecot bay.

Assisat Separate Cabools Judge A. H. Huston, in the District Court in Guthrie, Okla., declared unconstitutional the Oklahoma separate acholaw providing separate school separate schools for segroes in the new State.

- Kill Four Safters. Successibles to the frame of burning pitch and calcun, deep form in the fore peak of the British bark Furian, as she lay at anchor to Treatman Science, Burnes,

KANSAS IS MAKING CIDER.

Yield of Apples

Implement dealers throughout Kanasa are this estamer being called upon by farmore for a kind of farm steadil for which the formand in former years has been very slight—cider presses. Two years ago there were a few presses sold through-out the State, but last year it is doubtful if a press was sold in the whole State of This summer it is different, howhannas. This summer it is discrete, now-ever, for the yield of both apples and grapes is phenomenal, and to take care of the large crop farmers are buying rider pressure and making cider and wine. Ap-pla trees are breaking down with the load of fails. of fruit, every yariety of tree being filled as full of apples as the limbs will bear. The the same way with the grapevines. They are loaded to the breaking point with great bunches of fruit. Of course a market is found for much of the fruit, a market is found for much of the fruit, but as the yield is much keavier than in former years and a market for such fruit has never been especially established by farmers in that section, some other method had to be devised to take care of the surplus. As a result the farmers are buying cider presses and making cider and wine. Some farmers are picking many applies to keep the trees from breaking and making them into cider at the present and making them into eider at the present time. Others are making grape juice.

SURGEON MYSTERIOUSLY SHOT.

Dr. Rustin of Omaha Slain Entering It's Home—Assausin Escapes. Dr. Frederick T. Rustin, one of the most prominent surgeons in the West, was shot and killed as he was entering his home in Omaha the other morning at 8 o'clock. There is no clew to the mur derer. Dr. Rustin had remained out late for the election returns. His wife was awakened by a pistol shot and rushed down stairs and out on the porch. The doctor was sitting in a chair. "I have been shot," he said, and then lapsed into unconsciousness. He died half an hour later without recovering consciousness. A single pistol ball had entered the abdomen. The first theory of the police was that Rustin had committed suicide, but as no platel has been found and from the fact that a surgeon would have shot through the heart or the head, the murder theory

PAPER COMPANY CUTS WAGES. Announces Reopening of Mills, but

at Reduced Pay. Officials of the International Paper Company amounce in Glens Falls, N. Y., that several mills, which have been shut down for four weeks, will be started with-in a few days. The plants were closed because the men refused to accept a reduction of 10 per cent in wages. The Inter-national Brotherhood of Stationary Fir-men and the International Brotherhood of Pulp, Sulphite and Paper Mill Workers. it is said, have signed contracts with the company by which a revised schedule of wages is established for a period of eleven months from Sept. 12. The reduction in wages brought about by the new schedule is approximately 5 per cent. The agree-ment affects about 10,000 employes.

RACE WAR IS AVERTED.

Killing of a Negro by a Policeman

Causes Some Trouble .

A race war was narrowly averted Parsons, Kan., Sunday morning when Po-liceman John Williams shot and killed-Math Matthews, negro. The better class of the negroes dissuaded the leaders from rash action, and a gathering mob was dispersed. Matthews was a train porter or the Missouri, Kansas and Texas railroad who resisted arrest. Matthews was conaldered a had man. He killed a negro in Parsons four years ago.

Holy City Ballway Opened.

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The new railway from Damascus to Medina, "the Holy City," was opened Tuesday with most impressive ceremonies. The imperial mission, sent from Constantinople for the occasion, prayed at the prophet's tomb at dawn and then proceeded to the railway station just outside the town, where a crowd of Musulmans from all quarters of the globs had asserted. from all quarters of the globe had as-

Woman Throws Acid in Man's Face William G. Haas, a saloonkeeper and political leader of Erie, Pa., formerly a member of the councils, is confined to his home as the result of an attack made upon him by a woman, who, it is alleged, threw an acid or some other ficry liquid Into his face. Hass was married some time ago, but the announcer made until a few days ago.

\$5,000 See Aeronaut Fall to Death. In view of 25,000 spectators on the fair mounds in Waterville, Me. Charles Oliver Jones, an aeronaut of Hammonds-port, N. Y., fell 500 feet to his death. Among those who saw the plunge were Mrs. Jones and her child. Jones dirigi-ble balloon caught fire from the motor and collapsed.

Alabama Strike Called Off.

An official order calling off the strike of coal miners in the Birmingham, Ala. district has been issued to all the camps in that section. The end of the strike means that practically all of the mines in the Birmingsam district will be on a non-

Reberts Will Recover.

The condition of Charles B. Roberts of Raltimore, who was shot on the board walk in Atlantic City recently, continues to improve, and his recovery is expected. The police have made no progress in their forts to apprehend the assailant of Mr.

Paster to Wed Diverse It is announced that the Rev. Dr. William II. Lawrence, pastor of Trinity Epis copal church, Richmond Hill, New City, will marry Mrs. Frances will marry Mrs. Frances Mar-ey Edwards, who obtained a divorce from Julius A. Edwards two years ago.

A spectacular fire destroyed the planof the Atlanta trunk factory and the Empire Printing and Box Company on Madosin aroune, near Peters street, At-lants, Ga. The less is \$100,000.

mar Mits Boat; Three Drawn Run down by an excursion steamer or Delavan Leke, Wis., while rowing with a party of friends, a Chicago woman Mrs. Rudi Anderson, and her two chil-dren, Visia. aged 5, and Milton, aged 3 lost their lives by drowning,

John D. a Real Artstagen John D. Rockefeller is a descenarons in the south of France, the family duting from an early as 950, according to the report of an expert made to a family

The Springfield grand jury denounced the police as cowards for failure to quell riota, and four men were indicted and will be placed on trial. ichtechne Mr. Wa's B tipe government to Ting Pang be a Minister We Ting Pang be The Chie al of h Hafid be recognised immediately as Sul

PARSORED BANK ROBBER WEDG. ett Matten, of Coffeystille Fam-BATTLES AT THE PULLS Respect Dation and Mrs. Julia Lowie were searcied in Sectionville. Ohia, the

linum in Hartieaville last Nove is killed Williams storing the

which more than twenty shots were fired

The romance between ligiton and Julia Lewis began twenty years ago, when the latter, the daughter of "Texas" Johnson

lived with her parents near the Kansus line, eighteen miles north of Bartlesville. She and Dulton were about the same age,

amount of property. The bride and groom have refused an offer to go on the stage made by a Chicago manager.

WATCHMAN BRUTALLY SLAIN.

Blackhand Blamed for Murder a

White Plains, N. Y.

Clubbed until his skull was pounded into a pulp, choked with a strap tied tightly around his throat, and then

thrown into a brook to make death trebly

certain, was the fate which was meted out to Frank Brady, a lonely watchman on the State road between Tarrytown

and White Plains, N. Y. Sheriff Charles M. Lane, who is working on the case, has

which will form a boulevard between the Hudson and the county seat. Friday night Brady had a day off, and an Italian was

placed on guard. Saturday night Pas quale Giovani was made watchman, as it was not known whether Brady would

return, but he did come back to work. He ordered the Italian watchman away,

and that was the last seen of him alive

10,000 SUPPER AFTER FLOOD.

Augusta, Ga., Cries for Clothes for

the Army of Victime of Deluge. As a result of the flood 10,000 people

in Augusta, Ga., are in need of clothing and bed clothing. Augusta is battling bravely to ward off suffering, but declines

to ask outside ald, though saying the city will accept all contributions. Thou-sands of men are at work cleaning up after the flood. In a petition to a local

paper the white and negro populations on the Carolina side of the Savannah river opposite Augusta have appealed for aid. There is, it is set out, the most se-

vere destitution; homes and crops have been carried away.

Obsidia, la Now President.

The electoral proceedings which for so

Panama republic ended happily the other

Senor Don Jose Domingo de Obaldia the

document setting forth the final count of votes, which makes him the constitutional successor of President Manuel Amador.

Fire destroyed most of Darby, Mont

g town of about 1,000 people, in the Bit-ter Root valley. The town has no fire department, and the flames, which started

in the Tanner Hotel, raged for four hours without interruption. The use of dyna-mite is all that saved the three remaining

buildings. The loss is estimated at \$50,

Royalty in Auto Accident.

In an effort to avoid running into a peasant's cart on a road near Berlin Crown Prince William of Germany steer-

ed the automobile he was driving into the

prince and the crown princess being pin-

Arrested Visiting Sick Wife J. W. Rice was arrested in Lexington

Ky., upon his arrival from New York by local detectives charged with the em-bessling of \$18,000 from the bank at Morehead, Ky., about a year ago. Rice came to be with his wife, who is to un-

Hanga Herself from Balustrade.

Tring one end of a clothesline about her neck and the other to a third floo-balustrade in her Philadelphia home, Mrs.

Annie H. Riddle, a widow, jumped over the rail, breaking her neck. It is believed ill health prompted the act. Mrs. Riddle was 52 years old.

Politicians in Fist Fight.

Senator N. B. Scott of Wheeling, W. Va., objected to a remark made by S. G.

Smith, former member of the Legisla

ture, that United States senatorships in that State are bought, and the two men

fought for five minutes in the corridor of

Attempt to Wreck Passenger Train

An attempt to wreck an Atchison, To-peka and Sauta Fe train was made near

Deerfield, Kan., when a heavy obstruc-tion was placed on the tracks. Hence

Woman Examerates Negro.

The negro whose alleged attack on a woman started the recent riots at Spring declared innecent by the

victim of the amount and a warrant has

been issued charging the son of the man

Canadian Packing Plant Burns

The plant of the Canadian Packing Company at Pottersburg, a suburb of

London, Ont., was destroyed by fire. The

loss is about \$150,000, covered by insur-ance. There is a branch of the company

S. Thayer Bass of St. Paul and ar

Minneapolia, were drowned in Casa lake, Minn., by the capsining of their cases in

Are Springfield Police Timid?

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day, when Dr. Augusto Boyd, chairman the national jury of elections, delivered

. Brady was employed as night

other night. Only a few months ago Dai-ton was pardened from the Kanese publ-tantiary, where he was serving a life sentence for puriticipating in the raid on the Coffeyville hands sixteen years ago. Julia Lewis is the wildow of Ernett Lewis, an ar-envisor who was felled in a first Republicane Win in Vermont by a Plurality of About an ex-convict, who was killed in a fight with Federal Marshals Keeler and Wil-##.000.

RETURNS FROM THE PRIMARIES.

Michigan, Wisconsin and Webrasks Hold Significant Nominating Elections.

Returns from the gubernatorial elecion in Vermont indicate that George H. Prouty, the Remblient candidate is elected by a plurality of about 28,000 over his Democratic opponent, James El

The State election was watched with the most intense interest by all of the national political figurers. In the minds of many of them the final reports on November's election night were to be foretold by Vermont's voting. Whether the Republican plurality was to reach up to the landslide figures of 1890, 1900 and 1004, or whether it was to drop below the danger line of 25,000, absorbed the attention of Republicans

everywhere. The Republican vote is more than 8 one suspect under arrest. That Black Hand agents were responsible for the death of Brady there is no doubt. Re-venge is believed to have been the moper cent short of that cast for Gov ernor Bell in 1004. The Democratic the government for \$173,000. vote was 2 per cent short of that of 1904. Practically the entire voting watchman by Contractors Mallory & Mur-ray, who are building the new State road between Tarrytown and White Plains, strength of the State was registered at

the polis.
Lieutenant Governor Pronty, who has been elected Governor, was opposed by James E. Burke, formerly known as the "Blacksmith Mayor" of Burlington. The Republicans made a strengous compaign in the State, and the No tional Committee sent in a strong bat-tery of speakers. Mr. Burke made his fight practically alone, and while the Democratic national organization took strong interest in the turn of affairs they sent in few spellbinders.

For the first time the Independer party had a gubernatorial candidate He ran shead of both the Prohibition

and Socialist nominees. Vermont's vote has been one of the shining constellations in the political beavens by which political pilots have steered in national campaigns, so so as the towns and cities of the State had reported themselves on the night of the Beptember election. But once since the wartime period has Vermont failed correctly to forecast the political color of the succeeding national administration. the entire proposition being based upon the axiom that if Vermont gives less than 25,000 Republican plurality in September the Democrats will win in the nation in November. That once was in 1870, when Vermont slipped up There are plenty of Democrats who are still confident that Vermont was right at that exciting political period. Ver-mont's September plurality dropped to 23,735, and Rutherford B. Hayes was declared elected President by a major-

ity of one electoral vote.

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Wisconsin

a decisive vote. Senator Stephenson formerly an ally of La Follette, but and secundary hostile to him, defeated his near \$10,000. ination, Francis E. McGovern, by a ton, Ont., arrested a man named Healey plurality of 10,000. McGovern and on a charge of fraud. The prisoner broke away three times from the chief, and on the support of La Follette.

Samuel A. Cook, who ran third, both claimed the support of La Follette.

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Cincinnati — Cattle, \$1.00 to \$5.75; heap, \$4.00 to \$7.05; sheep, \$3.00 to \$6.00; wheat, No. 2, 97c to 98c; corm.

nomination for Governor in Nebraska early returns showed Shallenberger leading Mayor Dahlman of Omahi Ninety-eight precincts out of 1.780 gave Shallenberger 1,830, Dahlman 1,28 and Berge 1,069. Dahlman is Bryan's personal friend and the presidential 100 houses were destroyed by fire. There nominee had exerted himself in his be- was no water with which to extinguish

ies, where Auditor General James B. Bradley was contesting the nomination for Governor with Fred M. Warner and Road Commissioner H. S. Earle, unexpected anothy was displayed. Forly meager returns seemed to indicate the nomination of Bradley.

Volunteers Against Night Riders A number of prominent business an professional men of Lexington, Ky., have tobacco belt.

CURRENT NEWS NOTES. Robert Hanter, the wealthy New York Socialist author, has been nominated for

the Assembly by the Sixth District, North Dakota and northern Minnesot at wages ranging from \$1.75 to \$3 per day and board.

The Young Men's Christian Association of Cincinnati, which is aiding the unem-played of that city, recently sent 200 men at one time to the South Dakota

killing many bogs in the vicinity of Corning, Iown. Drath usually follow-within four days after the hogs com-

building a on-operative oreanners, it was decided that the time is not yet ripe for the project, but an organization was per-fected to precesse delaying interests.

THE SUB-TREASURY CASE.

Great \$178,000 Chicago Mobbery

Will the arrest of time W. Pitzgerald paire the airstery of the great Chicago sub-treasury robbetty? Private | deletives who lave been working in the interest of Sub-Treasurer W m Boldenweck and an mostelant dis trici attorney,

claim to have evi Government sccre skepileal. Pitzger

WM. BOLDENWECK. vehement to their declarations of be lief of his innocence. He is out of pris on on \$10,000 ball. Fitzgerald was assorting teller in the

time he has been a successful insurance He bought on \$8,500 house on which he gave \$5,000 mortgage. A commis sion man claims he was offered \$500 to pass a \$1,000 bill. Fitzgerald is alseen even one of them. Boldenweck has a \$173,000 Interest

in the case. He appealed to Congress last winter to relieve him of responsi bility for the loss, but no action was taken. As matters stand, Boldenweck and his bondsmen are responsible to

pumped directly into the pipes, where the mixture is formed. No effort is made to control the speed of the motor, as it is idiusted to run at its maximum. speed of the airship is regulated by the angle of the planes, and the resistance they offer to the air. The frame is made they offer to the air. The frame is made of silk, spruce and ash. The webbing is made of unbleached muslin, and there are about 500 square feet to the lifting plants. The whole machine weights about 800 pounds without supplies, operator or passengers, and when in action has about 2 pounds of weight for every lift of a square foot of plane. This is greater, then some birds and less than some. Inthan some birds and less than some. In-sects have the greatest lifting power for their weight. The inventor says that the forty miles an bour. The motor weighs 170 pounds and will run at 1,400 revolu-tions a minute, which, with the gearing, makes the two propellers travel 500 revolutions a minute. There is a horizontal rudder in front and a vertical one beaind. This machine has three levers, although the one in France has only two They are used to bend the planes and to turn the rudder. The start is made from a single rail, and the landing is nade on skids. Wilbur Wright, continuing his flights in France, has succeeded in making a speed of 80 kilometers an



"Victory given to Hayes by electoral commission, though Democrats claimed return showed election of Tilden.

Early returns in Wisconsin indicated the defeat of the La Follette forces by est competitor for the senatorial nom-

In the contest for the Democratic

Michigan

At the Michigan Republican primar

volunteered to form a cavalry company to be used in awing the night riders of the

The elevator men of the country north of Thief River Falls promise to deliver to the Twin Cities and other wheat can ters 1,500,000 bushels of wheat this see

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At a meeting of farmers in Door Lake Minn, to discuss the advisability of

Seems About to Be Solved.

dence sufficient to justify the arrest. service officers are ald's friends are

ub-treasury, and it was from his enge that \$173,000 in currency was stoler eighteen months ago. Shortly after wards he lost his pince. In the mean solicitor. He has speculated in eggs leged to have said that he had a large bundle of such bills. Bo far as known none of the witnesses for the State has

Secrets of Wright Acroplane. Orville Wright, one of the brother in-ventors of the successful flying machine, who has taken a new model to Fort Myer Va., for a government test, now talks freely to the public about the construc-tion of the machine, as patents cover all the essential parts. The new model is 40 feet wide over all and 30 feet from atem to stern, standing about 8 feet high. It has one motor, made by the Wrights, which develops 25 to 30 horse power. It has no carbureter and the gasoline is

The you go the less lifting surface you The new model is expected to make



At Tamboy, Russia, bandits attacked and pillaged the Kazansky monastery, and secured gold and jewels valued at

Chief of Police Kimbale of Leaming-Mass meetings are haing hold in the

Philippines to voice the demand of the islanders for equal trade advantages with Porto Rico. A petition to be signed by a million Filipinos is to be forwarded to Congress at Washington. At Donaueschingen, Germany, a num-

ber of persons were burned to death and the flames, but fortunately a heavy rain fell and stopped the progress of the con-Notwithstanding the strict concerning

over the newspapers and telegraph lines, news has leaked out concerning the recent unsuccessful conspiracy against President Reyes in Bogota, as a result of which many prominent Colombians are prisoners. Representatives of the great steamship lines interested in the South American passenger traffic have been in session.in

Hamburg. They are looking to the for mation of a community of interest arrangement similar to that which bolds in the North Atlantic trade. At Lisbon, a gun seller named Ferreira and his assistant, who sold the carbine to Manuel Buissa with which Buissa kill-

ed King Carlos, was unexpectedly arrestother day. The German automobile in the New York-to-Parls motor car contest reached Berlin days shead of its nearest competitor. The announcement of the car's arrival was given great publicity and an enormous crowd assembled and elected as the machine passed farough the streets.

German victory The news was brought to Victoria B ,, by the Time Maru of the murder of no Hongkong engineers, M. Fearby and M. Sutherland, in Triami district, Tonkin, by Chinese pirates who, armed with rifles, attacked the camp of the mining engineers nad shot them down.

The arrival of this car is regarded as a

Minlius Erichsen, the Danish explorer. has met his death in the far North Exiches and two of his companions that 24. 1908, to the unexplored regions of the northeastern coast of Greenland, perished in a mountain. The three men were on an expedition over the ice when dissecter

VETERANS IN PARADE ON TOLEDO STREETS

Remnant of Civil War Host Marches with Plags Flying and Bands Playing.

FORT MEIGS SHAFT DEDICATED.

Granite Monument, 82 Feet High, Commemorates Preservation of American Boundary.

Toledo correspondence:

With fings flying, bands playing, rowds cheering, and a bright sky over head, veterans of the Grand Army of the Republic marched through the streets of an ecampment city for the forty-second time Wednesday afternoon At the official reviewing stand, where stood William H. Taft, Governor Jairls, Senator Foraker and Mayor Brand Whitlock, the colors were dinned. and the department commanders joined Commander-in Chief Burton in the stand. The parade being the leading feature of the encampment, many timed their arrival for the event, and the crowd of visitors was augmented by thousands during Tuesday night.

It is estimated that, including the retorans and their wives, there were 150,060 visitors in the city. Excursion trains brought them by hundreds from cities of Ohio. Indiana, Illinois and Michigan, and they poured in from the

rural districts on the interurban lines. It was well toward 11 o'clock when the van of the parade marched past the reviewing stand, where they were saluted with a bombardment of flowers for which surprise the women of Toledo had been preparing for several days. They emerged from the floral shower to be greeted by an immens buman flag, made up of nearly 8,000 children, who, in their dresses of red. white and blue, swayed their bodies so that the emblem seemed to sway as in

Harrison Preserved Boundary. Two events of the G. A. R. encomp ment Tuesday were the dedication of the Fort Meigs monument and the civic parade. In the latter 8,000 members of local organizations marched with bands playing and banners flying while the veterans, whose parade was to take place Wednesday, looked on It was at Fort Melgs that General William Henry Harrison checked the British advances under Proctor after the general had profited by General Hull's surrender at Detroit. With citizen soldiery gathered from Ohio, Kentucky. Pennsylvania and Virginia, General Harrison succeeded in preserving the American boundary as it now exists. In those days Toledo was a mere collection of huts, which served as headquarters for French furriers and traders traveling from Montreal and Quebec to Cincinnati and New Orleans Not many years ago the graves of the heroes of Fort Meigs lay unmarked. A church stands where there was former ly a British battery.

Tents Are Discarded.

The forty-second encampment will, veterans declare, go down in history with a most inudatory chapter devoted to a committee which abandoned the traditional tents and domiciled the old traditional tents and domiciled the old soldiers under real roofs and on real beds. The veterans in Toledo ran no risk of colds and rheumatism from sleeping on the straw strewn ground or from dew soaked cauvas.

There was something in the tents of

There was something in the tents of ment this year.

President Heads Peace League The Peace and Arbitration Leaguwhich was the outcome of the North Car olina Congress has made President Roos velt its honorary president. The program includes the building of an adequate arm Kentucky is the active president of the league. Another pence organization has just been formed at New York known as the League of Peace. It proposes to unite the nations of the world in a great federation, with the permanent interna-tional Hague court as the judicial department of a world government, with the interparliamentary union composed of members of all the national parliaments as the legislative department and with a world executive having the title of peace maker. To choose this executive they propose to have an electoral college made up of about 100,000 of the intellectual leaders of the world, the votes to be sent by mail and to be opened and counted by the first session of the full parliament fol lowing the meeting of the Interparlia mentary Union at Berlin next September

Negro Celebration Forbidden. Race riots were twrely prevented as New Orleans when Mayor Behrman, it response to popular sentiment as reflected in several of the daily papers, refuse a permit for the holding of a meeting by negro citizens, who wished to do honor to over all white competitors in the national spelling contest during the recent see clation at Cleveland. Prominent negroes interfered and induced the promoters of the meeting not to insist.

Attorney General K. Jackson of New York, acting under the State anti-trust law, has obtained a court order for a hearing of charges against the coni-car-rying sailroads of the State to the affect that they operate under an agree amounting to a virtual monopoly, so beep up prices on this staple commedity. Officers of the Lehigh Valley, Lackswan-ua, Rending, Delaware and Hidden, On-tario and various coal companion have been summound to make answer. Just-



CHICAGO.

Trade generally exhibits a ful tome under the stimulus of sustained improving conditions. The returns as to volume of payments through the banks and business failures show close compari-Recovery because more distinct in the leading industries, outputs being increased and new demands larger. Iron and steel branches secured imp ders this week, and there were also nota-ble operations in wholeunic staples. Contracts for freight and passenger

cars, light rails and structural shapes rose to the best aggregate for some time. Much of the new business involves early deliveries, and this permits additions to ma-chinery and bands employed. The building interests have much work in sight, and this injects further strength

in signt, and this injects turner strength to dealings in lumber, will stuff and quarry material. Structures for mercan-tile purposes are planned in larger cost than at this time last year. Distributive demands have advanced to

he expected sensonable proportions. Outside buyers assembled in greater numbers than a year ago and, although many yet pursue cautious methods, the bookings make a gratifying total in dry goods, apparel, millinery and food products. Collections show more promptness in the West and South, and credits occasion but little difficulty where the harvests have

been good.

Corn growth continues to be satisfactory, live stock is in better supply and the markets for breadstuffs and provisions are mainly higher.

Bank clearings, \$201,640,400, are 4.9 per cent under these of the corresponding

Failures reported in the Chicago district number 24, against 24 last week and 24 a year ago. Those with liabilities over \$5,000 number 5, against 6 last week and 8 in 1907.—Dun's Review.

NEW YORK.

Buyers are more in evidence and as a result business has expanded measurably at leading western and Pacific coast points and at a few southern centers. Some western cities note evidence of new life in buying by southern and southwestern merchants of fall and winter goods. Incidentally some new stocks are reported being bought at Chicago, which is rather in contrast with a year ago, when com-ing depression had already begun tos make for precaution in embarking in new en-

Despite the improvement, however, the volume of business doing does not equal that of last season and conservatism and caution still are visible. Retail trade is dull the country over. Industry tends to increase in activity, though slowly, but current production is still below anticipa-

tions in many instances.

Business failures in the United States for the week ending Aug. 27 number 232, against 230 last week, 167 in the like week of 1007, 138 in 1000, 161 in 1905, and 189 in 1904. Canadian failures for the same period number 27, as against 89 last week and 20 last year.-Bradstreet's.



Chicago—Cattle, common to prime, \$4.00 to \$7.85; thogs, prime heavy, \$4.00 to \$0.95; sheep, fair to choice, \$3.00 to \$4.50; wheat, No. 2, 07c to 99c; com, No. 2, 77c to 79c; cotts, standard, 49c to 50c; ryc, No. 2, 74c to 76c; hay, timothy, \$8.00 to \$12.50; prairie, \$3.00 to \$11.00; butter, choice creamery, 19c to 22c; eggs, fresh, 17c to 20c; potatocs, per husel. Use to 73c.

per hushel. 65c to 73c.

There was something in the tents of former remains which appealed to the inagination of the veterans and stirred their memories of war days, but many of them paid for it with pneumonia rye, No. 2, 70c to 80c.

54.00; wheat. No. 2, D7c to 98c; com No. 2 mixed, 80c to 81c; oats, No. 2 mixed, 50c to 51c; eye, No. 2, 78c to 70c.

Detroit—Cattle, \$4.00 to \$5.20; hogs, \$4.00 to \$6.50; sheep, \$2.50 to \$5.50; wheet, No. 2, USC to USC; corn, No. 3 yellow, 81c to 85c; cors, No. 3 whits, 50c to 51c; rye, No. 2, 73c to 75c. Milwaukce—Wheat, No. 2 northern, \$1.01 to \$1.04; corn, No. 3, 79c to 80c; oats, standard, 49c to 50c; rye, No. 1, 70c to 70c; barley, No. 2, 72c to 74c; pork, mess, \$14.75.

Buffalo—Cattle, choice shipping steers, \$4.00 to \$0.50; hogs, fair to choice, \$4.00 to \$7.25; sleep, common to good mixed, \$4.00 to \$5.30; lambs, fair to choics, \$5.00 to \$7.00.

New York—Cattle, \$4.00 to \$6.75; hogs, \$3.50 to \$7.15; sheep. \$3.00 to \$4.50; wheat, No. 2 red, \$1.02 to \$1.04; corn, No. 2, 80; to 100; oats, natural white, 55c to 50c; butter, creamery, 20c to 24c; eggs, western, 10c to 22c.

Toledo-Wheat, No. 2 mixed, 93e to 95c; corn, No. 2 mired. The to 81c; cats, No. 2 mixed, 40c to 50c; rrs. No. 2, 75c to 75c; clarer seed, October, \$5.02.

TRADE AND INDUSTRY

Alaska will ship at least \$8,000,000 In old to the United States mint this year. The Upper Misaissippi River Improve-ment Association is due to meet at Clis-ton, lows, Sept. 22-24, to formulate demands to be made at the next session of Congress.

As a result of the board of review rate ing the value of their property from \$98,000 to \$250,000 the Ean Chairs, Win., Gas Light Company is up in assumented

Annulment of an assessment of \$975,stocks was asked of the Minsenpole board of equalization by the Standard Oil Com-pany through its Minnespolle manager,

The Western Elevator Company of Wissen, Minn, has purchased the prop-erties of the Northern Grain Company of Manitowoc, including fifty-five comor manifered, increasing http://www.committy-olorators and two terminal olorators, with storage expectly of \$.000,000 limits, with storage expectly of \$.000,000 limits, with storage in over 200 tours in Minustein, Wiscounts, Sonn Sulf State. Dahen, with direct confection with manifest

STALWART AND SOUND.

Pidelity to Republican Policies.

There is no doubtful note in Carellch of Aug. 18, responding to the official notification of his nomination by the Republican party for the vice icy rings true to protection. "First, then, let me say that I am a No one doubts it. Long years of faithful and efficient service as a Representative in Congress have proved it. Mr. Shorman has never waled on the tariff. He has always be-Hever that American labor and industry should have the first lien on the American market. So far as his voice and influence can affect legislation be will as Vice President be found on the side of unrelaxed and adequate pro-

He believes in the "reasonable profit" declaration of the Republican platform If we are passing through hard times — reasonable profit not alone for the now, with butter at 25 cents a pound and manufacturers whose capital is invest—

A but for the wage carper as well.

C. J. WALDRON. ed, but for the wage carner as well. for the farmer who supplies the raw material, for the miner who diss the coal and the ore, and for every hand that helps to produce and market the finished product.

Without profit there can be no business. Mr. Sherman would first insure profits by shutting out unfair and injurious competition, and would then divide up the profits among all that are entitled to a share.

Experience has proved that profits disappear when foreigners are allowed dersell American labor in the American market. Also that employment disappears and wages shrink, leaving the wage corner only a beggarly share of the profits, and probably no trader always, and is one now. He ahara at all.

A revision of the tariff with the "reasonable profit" principle strictly adhered to is the pressing need of the time. It is because of the heavy inflow importation of foreign ore, but for free

prices. They had just passed through the disunt tariff "reform" period of so For Vice-President Bectaves 1805 97, when values of farm products and farm lands in four years shrunk nore than five billion dollars, and they date Cherman's tariff expressions. His were quick to note the changed could tions brought by restored protection. In eleven years they have recouped their osses many times over, and to-day they are the real money magnates of the ountry.

But the World editorial did one good thing when it brought out the following response from a New York State farmer:

To the Editor of the World: I am as independent in politics. I helped elec Cleveland President, but I am not re ready to sacrifice a known quantity for an unknown one. During the adminis-tration of Cleveland I was compelled to place my butter on the market at 10 cent a pound and my pork at 5 cents a pound without a buyer in both cases. Do you wonder I don't want a change? Not I

Medusa, N. Y., August 10. If anybody is looking for a reason why the farmers of the United States are not going to vote for Bryan this rear, that reason can be found in this letter of Farmer Waldron, of Medune Five million formers have consily good reasons .-- American Economist.

A Vital Difference. Democratic papers are multiplying words over Mr. Bryan's tariff speech in Iowa as if it contained something as a politician. He has been a free evades the use of the term, but will not, as some of the Democrats in Southwest Missouri are doing, say he is for the protection of sinc egainst the free of cheaper products from abroad that trade in everything else. If he had

CAN GOMPHES DELIVER THE LABOR VOTE?



sible. Accordingly mills and factories running at all, and 2,000,000 artisans are out of employment.

Mr. Sherman interprets the Republican platform as promising to remedy these bad conditions by such a revision of the tariff as shall bring a return of artisans will get back their jobs.

there is in this campaign a single issue. or any group of combined issues, so im portant as the question of restoring

"We Farmers Don't See It." Not long age an editorial in the New York World appealed to the farmers of the United States to rally to the sunport of a party which is pledged to reduce a tariff taxation which the farmer (according to the World's argument) he sells. This is an old, exploded the that they are good critics but had ac its use.

American farmers are the backbone of protection. They know perfectly well both branches of Congress, they would was beeten in 1806 and McKinley and the Dingley tariff touched the button that started the wheels in the milk and port to tho that started the wheels in the milk and port to those not represented in that factories the farmers were among the section. The fact is that the party has fight to realise the value of a policy in provides a near-by market for lucks at greatly le-

reasonable profits have become impos- the power he would destroy all protec tion at a stroke, and let American are running on reduced time, or not wages and industries struggle unaided against foreign competition.

Mr. Bryan, without qualification, is for free trade. The Republican party is absolutely committed to, and a firm believer in, the policy of protection. If Mr. Taft is elected the protective policy needful protection. When that shall will be maintained by the next admin-have been done there will be no idle istration, with such revision of schedmills and factories, and the 2,000,000 ules as it may consider necessary. If Mr. Bryan is elected be will at once, is worth striving for. If assisted by a Democratic House, assati protection all along the line, and work for a change in the Senate until free trade is agreed to by that branch also. prosperity by restoring work and wages Mr. Bryan simply repeated himself, we do not know what those issues are. with immaterial verbal changes, in his tariff speech at Des Moines. Boiled away he pulled out his notebook and down, there is nothing in it but free put the State in the sure-for-Bryan coltrade, and it is well known that Mr. Bryan has always been a radical on this subject: intelligent voters will govern themselves accordingly .-- St.

Louis Globe Democrat. is forced to pay on everything he buys, The Democrats in dealing with the while getting no benefit from anything tariff, as in other matters, have shown ory which has been so completely distors. Their platform will not declare countenanced in the past eleven years for free trade, but they will attack the of phenomenal prosperity for farmers protection policy of the Republican parthat the World ought not to resort to ty with arguments which, if sound, would justify free trade. If entrusted with power in the executive office and what they get out of it. When Bryan adopt an illogical tariff giving liberal protection to the industries of the South and grudging or inadequate sup-

no national policy and is united only in

TWO TABLET POLICIES.

stort, the norm the Rights of Labor. Having dropped the free coinage of silver, the annihilation of the courts, and immediate freedom for the Fillpines as his paramount issues, Mr. Pryan will now attempt to capture th. Presidency on the tariff imme-The Republicana declare their adher

enter to the policy of protection, under which the energious business of this country has been built up, and under which the people have enjoyed a great or degree of prosperity than the world ever raw before. And they declare that the "true principle of pretection is been maintained by the imposition of such duties as will equal the difference be tween the cost of production at home and abroad, together with a reasonable profit to "American industries."

The Democrats reject the protection peluciple utterly. What they propose is "to restore the tariff to a revolute basis." This is equivalent to the old demand for "a tariff for revenue only." In rejecting the protection principle the Democrats and at last consistent for it was not long ago that they for mally declared that "protection is rob bery." That there has been no mod! fication of opinion on this question is clear from the action of the Committee on Resolutions. When one of the members suggested that the cost of labor should be recognized in reducing the tariff schedules he was sharply criticised on the ground that his prop osition was "undemocratic," and it was withdrawn from consideration, says Denver dispatch, "upon telegraphic re quest from Mr. Bryan."

Summing it all up, the Republicans would revise the tariff to protect Amercan workingmen from the competition of poorly paid labor in Europe and would maintain the protective principle for the benefit of both ware corners new and important. As a matter of and manufacturers, while the Demo fact, it is simply a restatement of Mr. crats would revise the tariff without Bryan's views as a free trader. In regard to the difference in the cost of just one thing he has been consistent labor between Europe and the United States, and would get as closely as possible to a tariff for revenue only.

How can there be any question about the result of the presidential campaign when the great issue is so clearly de fined as this?—Chatham (N. Y.) Re unblican.

Would Bryan Be Harmless? Some persons say that if Bryan wer elected he could do no harm, for the Republican Senate would tie his hands and the Senate is certain to be Repub lican for four years more at least, gurdless of any mutations which may ome in the presidency or the House of Representatives. Several Democratic which opposed Bryan not only for the nomination, but until long aferward, and which now give him a built-hearted support, justify their ac ceptance of his candidacy on the theory that the Republican Senate would make a cipher of him if he should carry the country. Those papers ought to understand that if Bryan could do nothing in the presidency except draw his pay this would be a pretty good reason why he should be kept out of the presidency

Representative Burke of the Pitts burg District, however, in a speech de livered in Salem, Ill., Bryan's birth place, shows that this idea of Bryan's harmlessness is a mistake. He, points out that the Executive Department of the government has much greater now er to rule or ruin than has the legis lative. A man of fads and crankeries like Divan, in the White House could do much to cast discredit on the gov ernment and to humiliate the prople. Moreover, under the President's direc tion the government new expends about \$1,000.000,000 annually, and this would give him an influence which, in the case of an unbalanced person like the Demo cratic candidate, would be likely to in

flict harm on the country. is a mistake to suppose that the election of a man like Bryan would bring no ill effects to the country. His election would probably carry with it a Bryanite House of Representatives. It would be likely to carry with it several Bryanite Legislatures which would choose Bryanite Senators. The big Republican majority in the be reduced, and the new members would be of the Bryanite order. Moreover, the pressure of a Bryanite Presi dent and House of Representatives, rethe Republican line in some spots, for a Bryan victory could easily be made to appear to be a popular mandate for reckless legislation. By death or resignation four places on the Suprem seuch are likely to be vacated during the term of the President who will take office next March. How would the sane, conservative people of the country like harmless is to roll up a bigger majority ugainst him in 1908 than was cast ngainst him in 1000.—St. Louis Globe Democrat.

Indiana's Vote Elred. Mr. Kern, the Democratic candidate

Grant Meirell, a young balloonist, land-ed on the glass roof of a greenhouse analyset in excellent running order. His figures come out as easily and smoothly as if that appeal to the farmers to chip in on the campaign fund was been results. He was in lowe the other day

umn.

As Indiana has been honored with a name on the ticket, Mr. Kern has every Reformed denomination. reason to believe there'll be no trouble with the voting there. But a little thing in statistics has just bobbed up which double-clinches the State. It ap pears that within a year Indiana has increased its population of mules by 8.000 There are 67.591 of these usoful and Democratic citizens within the borno more doubtful than that John W. will be early at the polin .-- Toledo Blade.

Through the munificence of the wid-Through the mountained the means are sense of a New York capitalist, the means a standish, is dead, and his 2-year-old non has been supplied for the establishing will probably die from the effects of drinking concentrated by from a confor distrust of the purposes and politics of a magazine printed in blind point and of the apposition.—Dubuque Times.

Michigan State News

FORGERY CHARGED TO CASHIER

Michigas Official Demands Arrest o It. ti. Lewis of Athens Sank. After a scathing arraignment of the diextorate of the Athena State Savings Deputy Attorney General Henry Chase aunquaced necessary to arrest Cashter Harry G Lewis upon a charge of forgery. The bank officials threw the responsibility on Lewis, who, during the hearing in Judge North court, sat in a corner, sobbing like a child. The proceedings brought out some of the peculiar banking methods practiced by Lewis. At their conclusion Attorney Chase announced that the department had ent, with traces of perjury, forgery and turning to directors Wells, Albertson and others, nearly all of them patriarchal villagers with flowing white heards and hon-est faces, said: "You directors may be honest, but you have hopelessly neglected your duty in shoving responsibility on a 23-year-old boy."

BRADLEY FARM SWEPT BY FIRE

Two Houses, Five Barns, Sheds and

Crops Burn. Fire which originated from some un known source destroyed two houses, five large harms, containing practically all this year's crops of grain and hay, also several farm sheds and considerable valuable machinery on the M. B. Bradley estate farm, 12 miles east of Bay City, just over the line in Tuscola county. Four horses were burned to death, but all of the cattle and other live stock were res cued. Farmers in the vicinity formed a bucket brigade and succeeded in saving the Bradley farm residence and one othe louse on the farm which is the largest in that part of the State: The Bradle, boys believe the fire was set, as it start ed in a barn where there had been no light or other means from which it might originate. The loss is estimated at be-tween \$10,000 and \$12,000, partly covered

SEVEN TONS OF BAD EGGS HELD

Ble Shinmant Belleved to Have Beer

Intended for Uso in Cookies.

Seven and one-half tons of eggs, every one of which is alleged by the United States pure food inspectors to be absolutely bad, have been held at a Detroit storage warehouse since July 26. cold storage warenouse since July 20, pending an investigation as to what use it was intended to make of them. It is claimed that the eggs were gathered in an already spoiled condition, in the vicinity of Cincinnati, and that they were shipped to Detroit to be used in the manufactur of fancy cookies and crackers. The selz ure was made under the pure food and drugs act, which prohibits the shipment from one State to another of "foodstuffs which consist in whole or in part of a flithy, decomposed, or putrid animal substance.

ACCUSED OF LAND FRAUD.

C. R. Hemenway, Wanted in South

Haven, Arrested. Charles R. Hemenway, formerly en gaged in the real estate business in South Haven, and at one time an alderman, was arrested in St. Louis, charged with swin dling Myron H. Detrich of Chicago in land deal, which was made while Detrich owned Cold Springs, a big summer resor up Black river near South Haven. Hemen way, according to the police, was indicted by the grand jury last January and dis-appeared. He is said to have been located in St. Louis, where he had offices. Detrich was in St. Louis on business and saw Hemenway on the street. He pointed the latter out to an officer and the arrest followed. Hemenway insists that he is in-nocent of the charge.

SHOT AT BY BURGLARS.

Greenville Young Man Surprise Robbers Ransacking House. Surprising two burglars in his father's farm home, three miles and a half east of Greenville, just after dark last night Clyde Russell, 23 years old, was shot at three times but was not hit. Young and reaching the house found it dark. He entered and struck a match. As he did so two men opened fire on him and rash ed from the house. An investigation showenforced by some new Senators of the ed that the robbers had ransacked the same stripe, would be likely to weaken bouse, but nothing of value has been

SON LECTURED BY COURT.

Potitions to Have Beneficent Mothe

After having educated her son in Germany, sent to Germany for his sweetheart, and given them a home, then set them up in business in Kalamazoo, Mrs. to see Bryan get the power to fill these Max Podamer was in probate court the places? The only way to keep Bryan other day on complaint of the son, Max, Jr., who wanted her declared insane. The court refused the petition and lectured the boy. Mrs. Polamer is a woman of considerable wealth.

Lands on Glass Roof.

Flock Sold with Church.

and looked things over. When he came away he pulled out his notebook and Methodist Protestants of Michigan. The deal was approved at a conference in Lansing. The church is located at Brit-ton and formerly belonged to the Dutch

> Steam Roller Mills Lad. Sixteen-year-old Lealie Onlorne of Clay-banks was caught under a steam road roller and instantly killed, while his parents were bringing his dinner to him.

Mills Wife and Commits Suicide. and Democratic citizens within the borders. Mr. Kern can now sleep an hour and killed his wife on the street near his longer in the morning. The mules have home in Port Huron, and then commitkicked the door to, so that, even if it ted suicide. After killing his wife he would the State cannot escape. It is ran into their home, drank a dose of carno more doubtful than that John W. body.

> Little Tets Drink Lye. The 18-months-old son of Reamey Du-pey, a farmer living four miles went of Standish, in dead, and his 2-year-old son drinking concentrated lye from a which their mether had left upon a

BRANCHT WING IN PRIMARIES.

bought to Maye Chees

With the returns still incomplete, the Republican nomination for Governor, as decided by Tuesday's primary election became more and more the closest kind o decision. Auditor General J. B. Bradley still hold a lead over they Warner own this plurality, which was at first esti-mated at from 2,000 to 4,000, had fallen below 1,000. With eighty-three districts below 1.000). nisating, out of a total of 2,015 in the fiate. Brudley's vote was 85,810, Warner's 85,081, and State Roads Commis sioner Earle's 25,613, Bome additional returns in sight, but not tabulated, would dightly increase Bradley's plurality, Both Dr. Bradler and Gov. Warner received more than 40 per cent of the vote cast, so that there is no possibility of the nomina. ion going into the Brate convention. Un ier the law candidates for Governor and Lieutenant Governor are selected by the party convention if no candidate at the primary receives 40 per cent of the total

MAKES HER DEATH SURE.

Windows, Locks Doors and

Then Takes Morphine. After having securely nailed overy win-ow in her home and firmly fastened the doors, plugging up the keyholes so that no one could get into the house and prevent her from carrying out her intention of committing suicide, Mrs. Jessio Nich-ols took morphine in Kalamazoo. She was found at midnight by the police, who had been called by suspicious neighbors, and at 4 o'clock in the morning died without having regained consciousness. Mrs. Nichols had lived in Kalamazoo only a month. She opened up a rooming house and the other day had but one roomer. Before taking the morphine Mrs. Nichols made preparation for death by changing all her linens and straightening up her

HELD ALL COUNTY OFFICES.

Editor W. A. Works, Mayor of

West Branch, Is Dead, West Branch, Is Dead.
William A. Weeks, mayor of West
Branch, register of deeds of Ogemaw ounty and editor of the Ogemaw County Herald, died the other day from acute Bright's disease after a few days' illness Mr. Weeks was 52 years old, had resided in West Branch 28 years and was one of the best known and most prominent men in that part of the State, having held very important office in the gift of the ounty—prosecuting attorney, judge circuit court comp tice of the peace, supervisor, county surveyor, register of deeds—and last spring veyor, register of deeds—and last spring was elected mayor of the city. He was a graduate of the University of Michigan: widow and two daughters survive him

DISLIKES TO CAUSE TROUBLE

Burnlar Leaves When Told that There's Sick Woman in Hou One of the most accommodating burg-lars that has made his appearance in Port Huron in some time entered four stores at the beaches, and also the home of Harry Young, on Gratiot avenue. He got in through a window at the foot of Mr. Young's bed and in doing so awakened him. The two men spied each other at the same time and the burglar pulled : at he same time and the burgiar pulled a big revolver from his hip pocket, cover-ing the man in the bed. "Hello, part-ner," said Young. "Kindly make the least noise possible as my wife is sick in the next room." "Old man, had I known there was sickness in the house. I wonld not have troubled you," replied the would-be burglar, and with this he jumped out of the window.

POTTAWATTAMIE CHIEF DIES.

David Krotch Pesses Away-Indian Nation Cannot Name Successor.

David Krotch, the last of the Potta-wattamie chiefs, an Indian whose life was the history of Menominee county and whose death marks the dissolution of a once great nation, has been summon his happy hunting ground. Krotch passed away late Monday night. He was pearly 00 years old. The Pottawattamies have no law of selecting a new leader.
Under such conditions Krotch's death
marks the end to the closing chapter of
the history of a tribe of Indians to which Menominee county owes its first interior development.

BUINED IN CURRIE CRASH

Son of Grand Rapids Furniture Man le Bankrupt.

Cought by the Can crash, William F. Matter, superintendent of the Shaw-Walker Co., of Muskegon, has applied to the United States Court at Grand Rapids to be declared a bankrupt. His liabilities are \$3,215.40. He is a son of a Grand Rapids furniture

STATE NEWS IN BRIEF.

A telephone message from Goerby, Manitoulin island, says that the business section of that town has been practically wiped out by fire. Fifteen business places and eight houses are burned down The town has 1,000 inhabitants and no water works. The loss probably will be water works. The loss probably will \$10,000, partially covered by insurance.

What may prove to be a murder, was an assault on Edward Roberts of Allegan, in Kalamazoo. The assault was made with intent to rob. Roberts took up with a stranger in a saloon early in the even-ing and the two remained together until the assault. Roberts has a fractured skull. He was found bound lying up conscious in a lonely place by two police officers. Peter Van Lear, a local charac ter, is being held pending an investiga

Some time ago a farmer near Roches ter became interested in the breeding of mules of a diminutive type. About the same time his sons, of whom he has sereral, interested themselves in Belgian hares, and his place soon became note for the breeds that have the abnormal elongation of auricular appendages, Re-cently he decided to have a hare dinner and the largest member of the Belgian drove was shot and cooked. It proved to be tough, strong and unpalatable. It has een a disputed question in this farmer' family whether they are the oldest hare

About 2,500,000 feet of lumber wen up in smoke in a fire which broke out in the yards of the Lake Superior corporation in Sault Ste. Marie. The loss is estimated at \$75,000. The impher is estimated at \$75,000. The implest was recently purchased by the Haginaw Lumber Company, which will stand the loss. A spark from a locomotive is supposed to have been the cause. The mill property was saved.

Twelve hours after he sold his store that he had operated for over half a cen-tury, invesding to retire from active hunt-ness life, Gerritt Wagoner, aged 30 years, died in Municipus. He had resided in Municipus 55 years. MYSTERIES OF SONG SLAFG.

Are Akin to Sentiment the Music Hall Woold. How many people would guess the reading of a "Spanish color noug"

This strature planae-open of the many o be found in the professionals' dicflorary of slang-is used to denote the nusic hall ballad, and owes its origin to the fact that we will-remove the towner of its race would be without a pathetic reference to "dear old mother" or somebody's sweetheart far away." Now, pathos draw tears, and so do militim. The rest is obvious, says the Cleveland Plain Dealer.

These ballads are also known by the name of "Give me your kind applause songs," a title which is also applied to ditties whose duty it is to draw attention to some misdeed on the part of the mperial government.

Artists, too, always allude to the last ong they sing as their third soug, though in many cases it may be their econd or their fourth.

"Breathers" are so called because the unfortunate artist who sings them has no chance to breathe unless, perhaps. he surreptitiously drops a stray note here and there and thus draws a few molecules of air into his hings. Thes sougs of which "The Irish Christening" is an example-always have at least five long verses, which are run one into the other and sung without a break of any kind.

A type of song which is designed with the express purpose of deceiving the audience is the "cod ballad." With great ingenuity the composer begins his verse in a highly sentimental tone, when, just as the audience is com mencing to search for its pocket handkerchief, a sudden turn is given to the words and every one realizes that he has been tricked. The whole thing is, in fact, veriest parody. "Mingle your eyebrows with mine, love," is a case in

At the present moment the music hall world is searching high and low for concerted numbers, which form 9 per cent of the seaside. These are merely solos, rewritten to form tries, quartets or quintets for Pierrots and outdoor theatrical troupes, while "extra busiless' is added to suit requirements.

Motto songs, which are increasing in popularity every day, will also, it is expected, help to pass the hours for the loungers on "those yellow sands." These dittles always point an excellent moral

The "production number" is a term which needs some explanation. It means that the song is elaborated or with chorus girls and is "produced" on a more elaborate scale than the ordinary number. It also requires special scenery, with effects.

Soubrette songs give the idea of ongs always sung by soubrettes. They must, however, fulfill certain other requirements. The chorus, as in other songs, do not remain the same, the couplet in every case being differently worded.

BORED AND PLUGGED.

The Truthful Story of a Ship Struck by Lightning.

"In Duluth down on the docks some days ago some fresh water Ancient Mariners were talking of adventures on the raging main," began an old steamship man. "Captain H₂" said me, 'It seems to me I've heard somewhere that your vessel was once struck by lightning while sailing, sailing over the bounding main?

"'Yep, twice," said Captain H. 'Hapnened off Point Aux Barques bout fifteen years ago. We were loggin' long when a thunderstorm overtook us, and the very first flash of lightnin' struck deck amidships and bored a hole as big as my right leg right down through the bottom of the vessel.'

"And she foundered, of course?" "No, sir. The water began rushin' in, and she would have foundered, but there came a second flash, and a bolt struck my foreto' gallant mast. was cut off near the top, turned bot tom end up, and as it came down it entered the hole and plugged it up as tight as a drum. When we got down to drydock we simply sawed off either end and left the plug in the planks."—

Cherry History. It is still asserted in school books

Washington Herald.

that cherries were introduced to Eng-land by the "fruiterer" or green grocer of Henry VIII.; also, that they not common for a hundred years after that time. This is an error. Thomas Wright found the name in every one of the Anglo-Saxon vocabula ries which he edited. So common were they and so highly esteemed that the time for gathering them became a recognized festival—"cherry fair" or "feast." And this grew into a proverbial expression for fleeting joys. Gower says the friars taught that "life is but a cherrefavre." and Hope "endureth but a throwe, right as it were a chervefeste." There is more than one record of the purchase of trees for the king's garden at Westminster centuries before Henry VIII. was born. But Pliny contradicted the fable, as if in prophetic mood. After telling that Lucullus first brought cherries to Rome (from Pontus, in 690 A. U. C.), he adds that in the course of 120 years they have spread widely, "even passing over

"Yes." said the beauteous young off. But I had my own way, of course, and finally the crowd got started, and you know they made me put on a lot of wraps and things that simply sufforated me. And about halfway up I sitpped and fell over a cliff and broke my neck! Indeed, yes. And when they had lifted and pulled me back on the trail I absolutely died from pain. But before long I was able to go on to the too, but by the time we were almost there I collapsed and sat down, for I could never breathe again. But they made me pull myself together and in time we got to the summit, and there it was so they got me bome I went to bed, dead from exhaustion."—Independent.

Fatalities.



1340—English defeated the French as the famous battle of Cressy.

1604—New Amsterdam syrrendered to the British, who changed the name to New York.

1783—Brandt made the first accurate experiments on the chemical nature of arrenic.

1754—A disturbance of the French and Indians occurred upon Hoosick and Schaghticoke, which led to the break-

1776—British defeated the Americans in battle of Long Island.

1779—Gen. Sullivan defeated the Tories and Indians at Elmira, N. Y. 1708—James Wilson, one of the signers-of the Declaration of Independence,

1801 Margaret, widow of Benedict Arnold, died in London, aged 44 1814—The city of Washington burned by the British,...British execusted the city of Washington...Specie pay-ments were suspended in Philadel-

phia. 1818—The Savannah, the first steam ves sel to cross the ocean, hunched at New York.

1829—First temperance society form in Ireland....Warfare between Co-lombia and Peru ended.

1630—The steam locomotive was adapted passenger service for the first in America, on the Baltimore

and Ohio reliway. 1835—Sir John Gosford, Earl of Colborne, aworn in as Governor of Can-

1836—Opening of the Buffalo and Ni-agara railroad. 1847—Republic of Liberia inaugurated. 1848 Trials of the Chartists began in

1851—The yacht America beat the from yacht Titania on a race of forty miles by eight miles.

1855—The vessel engaged to lay the submarine cable between Cape Ray F., and Cape North, C. B., began to pay it out.

1858—The Dudley observatory was dedicated at Albany, N. Y.

1857—Beginning of a financial panic in the United States, which colminated in an almost entire suspension of the

1858—First treaty signed between Great Britain and Japan.

1860—Victoria railway bridge at Mon-treal opened by the Prince of Wales. 1869-First Confederate soldiers' monument unveiled at Griffin, Ga.

1872—Severe storm and high tide did great damage along the New England 1878 The independence of Servis pro-

claimed at Beigrade. 883-The Salvation army began opera tions in Canada.

884-England closed a contract with a Chicago firm for 300,000 pounds of compressed beef for the Gordon re-lief expedition to Khartum. 1896-William J. Kendall, clothed in a

cork vest, swam through the Ningara whirlpool rapids. 1801-Decennial census placed the population of Capada at 4,823,844.

1804—A tornado swept the aboves of the Sea of Asof and caused the loss of 1.000 lives. 1897—President Borda of Uruguny assas-

sinated at Montevideo....Congress of Salvador adopted the gold standard....Gen. J. P. S. Gobin of Per sylvania elected commander-in-chief of the G. A. R.

1902—Mousignor Guidi was appointed apostolic delegate to the Philippines appointed by the Pope. 1901—Battleship Louisiana launched at

Newport News. 1907-The new cantilever bridge in

course of construction across the St. Lawrence river, near Quebec, collapsed, causing the death of nearly 100 workmen...British House of Lords passed the bill legalizing marriages with a deceased wife's sister. thus settling a long pending ques

Patrick to Supreme Court.

Albert T. Patrick, serving a life sen-tence for the murder of Millionaire Rice in New York several years ago, has now appealed to the Supreme Court from the decision of Judge Lacombe denving his application for release on habeas corpus writ and a new trial. He makes the noval claim that the life sentence is an increase of penalty over that of the electrical chair which was formerly imposed on him.

ALL AROUND THE GLORE

King Edward purposes to pay a visit to Germany with the Queen early in 1900. The New Zenland sovernment has re-

thing, "when I asked papa if I might fused to enter into any arrangement to go mountain climbing he took my head aid in the grant of a subsidy to a Camedian-Australian line. The Missouri law requiring railroads

> to give free passes to shippers and caretakers of live stock, both to market and back home, has been declared unco Because of Asiatic cholers in Russia

> the Prussian central bealth office directed a closs medical inspection of the Russian frontier, especially of the river traffic on the Vistula and the Odor. A bill which has just pass

> nadian House of Commons not only limits the use of campaign funds in such wayse as hiring carriages for voters, but pre-hibits all contributions from corpurations, An unpreceduated record in Alpine

to the summit, and there is was so cold I frome to death: Oo-ooh! And I can tell you, when we came down at last, and as soon as the collection of the care bone I went to bod, dead peaks of the Jungfran, the Meanth and

Doctor Million

By Don Mark Lemon

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This time last year I weighed 276 pounds. I always thought that if weighed but 175 pounds I would be in heaven. Now I weigh only 89 pounds! Some stout ladies. I know, would be delighted to learn how I lost so much weight in a year's time. Now, these are just the ladies I wish to warn. He called himself Dr. Million. He is a tall, slender, dark man, and wears a beard and mustache. He parts his hair in the middle, and puts oil on it. If he should come to your city, beware of him! True, he made me loso nearly 200 pounds weight in a year!—but th way he did it was dreadful. Dreadful! I don't mean that I suffered muchcan't say that and be honest, and would rather be honest than be slen der. I mean, the medicine he used to make me lose flesh was dreadful. Dreadful to a high-spirited lady!

Of course, I didn't know at first-in deed, I didn't know until last monthwhat he gave me to reduce my weight. But I know now, and if ever I meet Dr Million again—. He called himself Dr Million, I think, because he hoped to doctor the millions—I believe his true name is Dr. Harvey. He was always very polite, but the means he took to reduce my weight were disraceful! Oufrageous!

A lady friend of mine—Mrs. Wilson

gave me his card. He had reduced her weight 80 pounds in two months and she was very enthusiastic over She gave me his card, and when I kind of questioned her about himthat is, if he was a gentleman, and all that—I didn't want to be doctored by a quack, of course—she wouldn't let me rest until I had dressed up in my black silk and gone with her to his

He had fine offices. He must have made lots of money—almost a million, I do believe—while he was in San Francisco. There are so many stout ladies in 'Frisco. I think I must have waited two whole hours before I could get to see him, there were so many patients waiting before me.

At last my turn came, and when met the doctor I was real pleased with him. He was very affable and gentlemanly, and assured me that he could reduce my weight 100 pounds in five months, without hurting my constitu

I hemmed and hawed a while, but of course I fell in with my friend's plans at last-as I had intended to do at



He Givs Me a Capsule to Swallow

along if the doctor pleased me-and became one of his regular patients. When I had paid down my first fee -it was pretty dear, but he agreed to return it if I didn't lose weight within

to take. But first, while I was in his private office, he gave me a capsule to swallow. It was larger than a fourgrain quinino capsule, and it had no trate whatever. Ugh! but when I think of it now, I almost wish weighed what I used to, and had Dr. Million here!

Well, I went on just as usual, cating unite hearty, for I always was a quite hearty eater all my life; but within a week I began to notice that I was getting sleaderer. I had to gather my shirt a bit at the back to keep it from maging and within two weeks actual I was ashamed to appear in public in my neval clothes I was gettin Menderer and slenderer every hour. Why, at the end of that two weeks it have weighed not over 250

I was almost frightened to think of It, but Dr. Million assured me that it was all right. He tried to explain to me, like a doctor does, how I was growing slenderer; but of come i words. I just modded my head and looked wise, and said, "Ah, yes!" and he thought I understood.

Well, in a month I was so slender that I had to have all my clothes made ever, and I kept growing elenderer and similarer. I was always hungry. d the more I ate the hungrie

I know that there are lots of stout edles who would give a great deal to

I grew, and some who, after they learn what cured me of being too stout, would awallow one of those pills like I swallowed in Dr. Million's private office, if they could only get one. But uch! when I think of taking that pill and Dr. Million looking on in his gentlemanly way. I feel dreadful ashamed of myself and dreadful angry at him.

The strangest thing about it was Dr. Million gave every one of his pa-tients a little box of green pills, and said that whenever any one of us wished to stop where we were—that in his winter sleep. She could not kill is not get any slenderer—all we had him where she was, so she lashed a to do was to take those green pills according to directions.

I knew of only one lady who too! the pills, and truly enough she stopped right away growing slenderer, and stood still for over two weeks. Then she began to grow stout again, and now she is much stouter than before she went to Dr. Million.

That is why I am afraid to touch those green pills. I dislike to be as slender as I am, considering I am quite a tail woman, but I should dislike more to grow as stout as I used to be. So I have put those green pills away in my bureau, and every little while I look at them and wonder if I could dare take them.

I once saked Dr. Million what it was that he gave his patients to make them so slender. But he only laughed and said that that would be to give away his great secret, which had cost him over \$1,000,000, and of course he couldn't do that. But he told me not to worry, as it was a natural remedy for stoutness, and as old as Egypt, and that if I wished to grow stout again, all I had to do was to take those green

pills. But I daren't.
Well, things went on, as my friends said, from thin to thinner, and when I had paid Dr. Million as much as \$500 he said that I was cured, and after that I must come to see him only as a friend, and no longer a patient. And, indeed, I was quite fond of him, and did go to see him quite often, and he always seemed to have as many patients as he could possibly attend to; but, finally, one day, a lady in the office got me out into the hallway, and asked me if I knew what it was that Dr. Million gave us ladies to make us slunder.

Of course, I didn't knew, and I said as much, whereupon she white pered something in my ear that made me almost slap her face, so vexed and mortified was I. But she persisted that it was true—every word of it. Why, she herself had weighed nearly 300 but seven months before, while now she weighed scarogly \$0 pounds, so slender she had grows.
Of course I thought she had taken

some offense at Dr. Million, or was sent in by some other doctor to frighten away his patients, and I was real rude to her. But since then I have learned that she was just an honest. high-spirited lady like myself, trying to warn trusting folks away from the

tolls of an evil doctor.

Now, you will want to know what this lady said to me, and the day after she got me into the hall I went again to call on Dr. Million to ask him to his face if it was true; but he was

I never was so much astonished in all my life; gone for good, the fanitor of the building told us. Why, I believe I would have trusted Dr. Million with my eyes. However, he was gone and there was no use crying over split milk; and, besides, I was as slender as I ever wish to be, weighing only about 90 pounds with my clothing on.

The day after the doctor was gone, a number of we ladies who had been his patients all met together at my house, and we talked the matter over, and all agreed that it must be so. Dr. Million—it is enough, I think, to make a proud-spirited woman blush with shame—had given every one of us, in those big capsules we swallowed in private office, a little snake, and the snake had grown and grown and grown in our stomachs and eaten up everything we had put in our mouths, matil there simply wasn't anything left for our bodies to live on, and of course we had all become as slender as shad-And those green pills were to kill the snake when we had been caten-as it were-out of house and home, and didn't want to grow any elenderer.

Mercy! I have heard of men having the snakes, but I never dreamt that I should some day have them myself, and I can hardly keep my hands off that little box of green pills. But I know if I should take those pills and the snake in my stomach be killed, I should weigh 275 pounds within a year, and I do so want to stay slender Bighty-nine pounds for a fairly fall think, and my busband says that it's too thin, too, and I am mortally afraid that he will learn about those green

pills and put them in my feed without

me knowing anything about it.

The Masons of the state of Washing business as a means of livelihood for members of the order. The Grand Lodge at a recent meeting made an ronciad ruling prohibiting traffic in whisky by Masons within its jurisdic Hereafter to emmage in the liquor traffic is to commit a Masonic offense, punishable by expulsion, from

Excussive Sareaum

which there shall be no appeal.

An officer, quite coverage with uni-versity diplomas, was recently gong to Morocco. On arrival he found his ap-leagues of the staff and with his hand at his cap presented himself as "Capt. X., floator of letters." A young officer stagging out from the group shinted the newconsey and said, coolly: "Licet. An officer, quite enverse with unithe personner and said, coolly: "Lieut. E., with a couldness of primary

Proded Him Out with Her Belssors, Then Tomahawked Him.

As for that grit of women-meaning Indian women-which has been cele brated in a well-known book, there is a story in Fur News which is good ovidence of their physical courage.

A dealer in skins tells of a squaw who was walking along on her snowshoes one day when her small boy saw a bear curled up under the snow pair of selssors to a sapling, prodded him out and smashed his head in with her tomahawk as he emerged.

I gave her ten dollars for the skin," writes the dealer, "so it was not a bad morning's work. Another ingenious piece of hunting that I remember was accomplished by an Indian who found two moose in a yard-that is, the snow clearing which the animals make when the frosts are breaking up and the snow is too sharp and brit

tle for their comfort.
"He crept up and got the female with his tomahawk. The male was driven to fury and it was unsafe to approach him. The stroke of a hoof would put the Indian out of business

in close order,
"Having no gun, he improvised a
bow and arrow from the trees, stuck a sharp file into the point of the arrow, made a bowstring with the laces of his moccasins and shot the beast through

REAL ORIGIN OF UMBRELLA.

Defoe Credited with Its Introduction Into England. In a recent controversy in England

regarding the origin of the umbrella and Defoe's knowledge of that now universal article of "wearing apparel." London writer says this knowledge may have been acquired in Spain. which he visited on business, his line being Spanish and Portuguese goods long before he wrote "Robinson Cru soe." It is noteworthy that John Mac donald, a footman, mentions in his autobiography that he brought his own silk umbrella from Spain, and was denounced by the hackney coachmen of London as a Frenchman when he took his walks abroad with it. De-foe makes Grusoe explain that he has seen umbrellas "made in the Brazils, where they are useful in the great heats which are there," and adds, as a new point, that he found his u brella "as well for the rains as the

Coloring Straw Hate.

"Some persons take a lot of pleasure and no little pride," said he, "in coloring a meerschaum pipe, and was thinking the other day what an awful blow it would be to the hat dealers if it got to be a fad to color a straw hat. You know in the course of a summer the average man will use at least two, and some men three, straws. They change them only when they get very black and after one cleaning has taken the vitality out

"Men don't like a dirty hat only because it shows that they have had it a long time, However, suppose it was the fashion to color them. Men would admire the hat as it was changing from a delicate brown to a fair black, and the older the hat the better."

Dew.

Dew does not "fall" in the sense that rain does. It has been scientification. ally demonstrated that "dew" simply the moisture that is abstracted from the air by the rapid cooling of the bodies with which that air moisture that is seen of a summer day on the outside of a pitcher con taining ice water. Dew is not formed nights, because the drifting air then brings its own tempers ture to the radiating bodies, and pre-vents them from getting cooled as speedily as they would otherwise.

Appreciates Teachers' Work. One woman says that when her children bring home their school reports at the end of the month she always finds five minutes is which to write a personal letter to the teach-If there is something that the children have learned that surprised appreciation, and if the reports are unsatisfactory she writes offering to help the teacher in any way she may suggest. Needless to say, the teach ers are appreciative, as any one will know who has ever taught school,

Pannies as a Medicine.

Peoples were originally esteemed less for beauty of bloom than for value as a medicine. In recognition of its curative virtues the neony was named gods. An old writer says: "About an Infant's neck hang peonie. It cures
Alcydes cruell maladie." Nor did the use of the plant stop there, for peony water was esteemed and drank in bygone times though whether as mediperance beverage is more than modern

July and Independence

July is an important month in the history of political liberty. The United States celebrates its independence on July 4. The patriotic efforts of the liberator Simon Bolivar for the inde-pendence of Venezuela were consummated on July 5, Colombia ridding her-melf of the Spanish space on July 20 Then there is France, with her July 4, marking the date when the suffering French people stormed the Bas-tille. The Spanish forces at Bantiago. The Spanish forces at Santiago. Cuba capitulated on July 16.

INDIAN WOMAN GUT THE BEAR, FARMER NOT TO BE THAPPED. HORSES PERFECTLY THAINED. This One Was Taking No Chances on a Possible \$300 Fine

> supplies daily thermometer readings. quantity of rainfall and the forecast for the ensulng 24 hours to farmers along rural routes who apply for tehm. The data are stamped with rubber type upon one of the franked governcards and dropped in the rural mail box by the rural carriers cuch

day.

On a western route a farmer had
they constant and they applied for the forecasts, and were dropped regularly in his mail box each morning, but he failed to take them out, and the accumulation of cards became so great it nearly

An inspector, going over the route, dropped in at the farmhouse.
"Why don't you make use of the weather

veather forecasts?" he inquired. Didn't you apply for them?" For reply the patron of the rural route led him cut to the mail box and put his finger on the corner of one of the cards, where was printed:

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USE, \$200.

"You fellows ain't going to sonk no \$300 into me," he declared, putting the card back into the box.

And the inspector had some difficulty in explaining that no penalty would attach to the removal of the card.

HAD DONE WORK THOROUGHLY. Corporal Literally Obsyed Orders of

Gen. Clarence Edwards, chief of the insular bureau of the war department, tells how an Irish corporal got even with an unpopular post commande in Cubs. This post commander, though an excellent soldier, was some-thing of a crank. He had two hobbles. One was that the liberal use of whitewash was the best possible preventive of disease, and the other was a pet flamingo, an ill-natured bird that was disliked heartly by the enlisted men because it never overlooked an opportunity to nip one of them.

One day the post commander had to go to Havana, but he could not endure the thought that anyone should-be idle in his absence. It had been fully a week since any whitewashing had been done, so he issued an order that "all articles pertaining to the camp not sheltered from the weather" should be whitewashed. The Irish corporal was intrusted with the execution of the order.

tion of the order.

The post commander returned next day, and pretty soon the air way fairly blue with his cursing. The soldiers heard the noise, but they were not curious. They know what it was all about. The post commander's brilliant famingo was white as a second to be a second to the commander of the commander's brilliant famingo was white as a second to the commander of th snowy heron.

Pronged.

"I have good reason," said the head of the establishment, addressing the cashier, according to the Chicago Record-Hérald, "for believing that you are living beyond your means." "You are mistaken sir. I am willing to have a thorough inspection of my accounts at any time."

my accounts at any time.

"How does it happen, then, that
you are able to have a bly suteme.

"Oh! Ha, ha, ha! That comes of having a wife who can write pocetry. "Poetry! Bah! Who ever heard of anybody earning enough writing-poetry to have an automobile?" "That's all right. She won it in a Limerick contest."

Good in Either Event.

Gen. Daliney H. Maury tells in his Recollections of a Virginian" of an old lady in Prederickshurg who was reduced to taking in boarders in orgerto make both ends meet. On one ension of peculiar stress, the larder was so eninty that the good lady took to her bed and summoned her ser "Nancy." she said. "there's nothing in the house for my boarders to eat except mush. But give them that. If they are Christians, they will accept it in resignation and thankfulness. And if they are not Christians, it is a geal

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utmost devotion Mahel (joyously)-Oh, Mr. Grayhed,

say that I am in the best of health and that I come of an extremely long lived family. Mabel (coldly)-No. I can never be yours. Please don't mention the subiect azain.

One Was Enough! "Dad," said the white-faced lad,

that he was right.

how many cigars does it take to hurl "How many have you smoked?"

"That's the number," said dad, and taking down the strap from behind the door he soon convinced the boy

How the Ruine Go. "I thought," said the American who was seeing Europe for the first time, "that you people had a lot of interestin' pld ruins over here."

Once we had such things, unties applicated. "but your betresses have come ever and had most of them put in good repair -- Pittaburg QuExtraordinary Intelligence of Mounts of City Patrolmen.

Chicago papers told the other day in picture and story of a policeman's horse that followed his master into a barber shop. A Philadelphia police horse, not ling ago, caused some ex citement by trudging along behind his rider right into the city hall. But for every yarn about intelligent police mounts in other cities, the average New York traffic "cop" has one to match, says the New York Tribune. As a Park Row city cavalryman re-marked, patting the glossy brown neck of his aid and companion; "Ho knows a heap more'n a whole lot of the 'muts' that we protect, and if he didn't he wouldn't be fit for his One day recently a patrolman had dismounted at a congested spot to straighten out a tangle of vehicles. leaving his horse, untied and unguarded, near the curb. This animal stayed right there, as still as a soldier at attention, until the odor of a fine bas ket of peaches, just out of reach across the sidewalk, struck his nos-trils. The bait was too tempting even for that well trained horse, and inch by inch he edged up toward tho luscious meal. Just then his rider, busy a hundred Teet up the street, saw him and yelled: "Hey, you, Bob, turn around, there!" And Bob turned around obediently and put temptation

DEMAND MIRRORS IN CHURCHES. Architect Says Women Are Clamoring for innovation.

"I wan't name the church" said the architect's young man. "It is one that stood in need of repairs a short while ago. My boss got the job of putting it in order. I attended to most of the preliminary details, and I give you my word that in the list of improvements recommended by the committee was a lot of small mirrors to be put into the backs of the seats so the ladies could see how their hats looked when they knelt down to pray.

"Before the work was really begun the rest of the congregation got wind of the contemplated innovation and raised no end of a row. The question, Looking glasses or no looking glasses, was voted on by the whole church. The conservative 'noes' won out by a small majority. They insisted that people kneel for devotional purposes, not to study the set of their hats, and that to put temptation in the shape of mirror into the back of every meat would be positively criminal.

"But it is a question that will bob churches. Most of the women of the congregations are domanding looking glasses in the churches, either in the pews or set as panels in the walls."

Angier's Bitter Memories,

Although angling has been and still is one of the chief delights of my life, something bitter niways arises when I think of my fishing experiences. Taught from my earliest years has nevertheless, never been my good fortune to grass a really big fish. On the other hand, some of the greatest duffers, so far as angling goes. I have ever known have "wiped my eve" time and again at salmon fishing Only a year or two since I had a friend staying with me at Dupplin Castle, who, to the best of my he itel, had hever before handled a salmon rod or any kind of rod in life. But almost at the first castif one could dignify the action by such a name—he rose; hooked and eventually grassed a 40-pounder. Anher Irlend. fisherman, killed, single-handed, a splendid fish that went all but 50 pounds. But I, who have given years to the game, have never seen my spring balance tally more than 31

Descendants of Massasolt. Two princesses, representatives of the only real American royalty, deword was law to 30 villages and 30,000 red men, are living in poverty on the shores of Lake Assawamusett, Massa chusetts. They are Teweeleema and Wootonekanuske. An effort is being made to secure for these last of the royal blood of the Wampanosas & meterial recognition of their right and of the services which their ances tor, the mighty sachem Massasoit, performed for the pioneers of New England. For without Massasoit's friend and protection the struggling colonists would have been swept from

Human Nature.

An old maid's love affairs of her youth grow hig in proportion to hel thinks she was the most popular girl in town and tries to make every other one bulieve she was once beautiful and attractive.
A woman wonders why her next

door neighbor does not punish her child for putting his sticky fingers on her porch chairs, while the will allow her own child to jump unmolested on her neighbor's flower beds.

His Hopes Went Up In Smoke. Here is an instance of a man's hopes ctually going up in smoke. The Rev William Berg of Hartford was the man. He was the leading candidate for the pastorate of the Mitineague Congregational church. One day re cently he offered a cigar to the descon of the church. The parishioners heard of the minister's devotion to the weed, and by an overwhelming light prevote decided to choose a pestor who

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As to Uses of Soap, Can soap be done without? Accord ing to a member of the English public. it is quite an unnecessary article, and man may be kept clean with plain water. Nations have risen to great ness without soap. Ancient Ro old familiar companion, Rome, knev nid familiar companion, Rosse, Knew nothing of soap until she came in contact with the Germans had the Gauls, who used it to brighted the color of the hair. Gage or twice going is mentioned in the Old Testament, but it doesn't mean the elly substance. that it is today. Painful as it is fo Americans who have lived in Engian to admit, it would be better for gen-eral gamters if more soop was used there. Thus, instead of adva cost, let it be lessened and so place the cleaning article within the reach of all. But the new soap combine doesn't view the, situation in that light precisely. It takes the cales and the public pays.

he McCermick Nursery Co., Monroe, Mich., one of the most reliable nursery firms in the United States. write us that they want a good, live agent in this section to solicit orders for trees, shrubbery, roses, etc. Experience not necessary. They offer good pay weekly and furnish canvassing outfit free. We advise any man or woman in our community who has some spare time to take orders to write them for particulars immediately. Mention this paper when writing. - aug 37-4w.

A Paying Investment.

Mr. John White, of 38 Highland Ave., Houlton, Maine, says: "Have been troubled with a cough every winter and spring. Last winter I tried many, advertised remedies, but the cough continued until I bought a 50c. bottle of Dr. King's New Discovery; before that was half gone, the cough was all gone. This winter the same happy result has followed; a few doses once more banished the annual cough. I am now convinced that Dr. King's New Discovery is the best of all cough and lung remedies." Sold under guarantee at A. M. Lewis & Co. dring store. 50c. and \$100. Trial pottle free.

Long Words or Short,

Which shall we prefer in speech and writing? Almost everybody will vote for the short word, and almost everybody will be voting for the best candidate. The short words are usu-ally the strong words. They make up in muscle nad liveliness what they lack in size. And they are readily in the eyes of men who have thoughts that they wish to lodge in other minds. A man who should run out into the street and yell "Conflagration! Con-flagration! Conflagration!" when his house was burning would be thought to be making a jest of the affair. And so in all matters where ideas are to be handed out dilickly and clearly, the short word has first choice.

How to get Strong.

P. J. Daly, of 1247 W. Congress. St., Chicago, tells of a way to become strong: He says. My mother, who is old and feeble, is deriving so much benefit from Electric Bitters, that I feel it's my duty to tell those who need a tonic and strengthening medicine about it. In my mother's case a marked gain in flesh has resulted, insomia has been overcome, and she is steadily growing stronger. Electric Bitters quickly remedy stomach, liver and kidney complaints. Sold-uniter guarantee at A. M. Lewls & Co. drug store. 50c. store. 50c.

Spartan Upbringing. Lord Kitcheners fa her rather a Spartan parent, was also a soldier; but in Ireland he turned his attention to breading pigs as a source of income. Kitchener and his brother had to drive the pigs to market. They were sent off without breakfast, and had to do without their meal on their return if their pigs remained unsold.

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